Here is a good test of motive: Do you do your duty just as well when no eye sees you as you do when in the public ga

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FAIR AND COLDER TONIGHT; SATURDAY, FAIR AND CONTINUED COLD.

ALLIES' REPLY READY

REJOINDER TO BERLIN SOON

Entente Answer to German Peace Proposal Lengthy Document.

DELIVERY WILL COME WEDNESDAY

London Believes It Will Meet With Approval in Washington.

London, Dec. 29.—As a result of the conferences which have been in progress for several days, the entente reply to the German note suggesting peace is now completed. It could go forward today or tomorrow except for the necessary formality of transmitting it to all the allies before final delivery.

This means that the delivery will be made early in or in the middle of next week, perhaps on Wednesday. The delivery will be made at Paris, after which the communication will be forwarded to Germany through American channels.

Very Long Document

The reply is a very long document, much more lengthy than the German note. This point has been one of the matters of discussion during the conferences, the objection having been raised that it is too long and should be short and sharp. But there were so many points for elucidation and such a complete difference of conception of the objects and purposes for which the two sides went to war that it was found desirable to extend the note to considerable length. The presence here of Alexandre Ribot, the French finance minister permitted the French ministry to be represented during the conference.

London Shows Optimism

Unusual optimism is shown here as a result of the final form which the reply has taken, which is believed to be such that it will meet with satisfaction at Washington. The reply to the American note will follow within a few days after the delivery of the reply to Germany.

Ambassador Page called on premier Lloyd George in Downing street this morning. It was a call of courtesy, offering the American representative his first opportunity of seeing Mr. Lloyd George since he became premier.

JOINT NOTE IS SENT

Scandinavian Government Unite in Approving Wilson Move

London, Dec. 29.—The Scandinavian governments have sent a joint note to belligerents supporting the peace note of President Wilson.

A Reuter dispatch from Copenhagen says the Danish, Swedish and Norwegian governments have instructed

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PRISONERS HOUSED SHOWN BY SHERIFF

Records for Eleven Months Indicate 1896 Were Received by Him.

Records of the office of A. C. Gladieux, sheriff, for the year 1916 not including the month of December show that a total of 1896 prisoners were received at the county jail during the eleven months. This report is prepared by Henry Branning, jr., deputy in the office of the sheriff.

Prisoners were received each month as follows: January, 141; February, 118; March, 139; April, 150; May, 195; June, 146; July, 188; August, 196; September, 188; October, 237; and November, 178.

STEEL PLANT SOLD FOR $11,500,000

Pittsburg, Pa., Dec. 29.—The sale of the plant of the Superior Steel company at Carnegie, to a group of New York and Philadelphia bankers has been announced here. The price paid was $11,500,000, of which $6,000,000 will be paid in cash and the balance in stock of the new organization which will be known as the Superior Steel corporation, chartered under the laws of Virginia, and have a capital stock of $17,000,000. It was not announced whether the financial institution behind the deal are acting for themselves or for a larger steel concern.

CARS LATE IN COMING

Transportation Delay Hampers Homeward Trip of Soldiers.

THIRD REGIMENT IS MUSTERED OUT

Northern Indiana Guardsmen Get Away as Best They Can.

Indianapolis, Dec. 29.—Lack of railroad equipment for the companies in the Third Indiana regiment to go to their homes from Fort Benjamin Harrison early today disrupted plans to have the companies travel in units to their home towns. All the companies were mustered out of federal service early this afternoon. The work began at 5 o'clock in the morning and at the fort it was said no railroad equipment arrived until 10 o'clock.

The men, as soon as discharged,

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FIVE STORY BUILDING LEASED BY MILLINERS

C. T. Pidgeon Company Takes Randall Property for Ten Years.

The C. T. Pidgeon Millinery company Friday signed a ten year lease for the building located on Harrison street, between the Seavey Hardware store and the Randall hotel. The building is the property of Winifred J. Randall. It is five stories high and the floor space is forty by one hundred and fifty feet.

The work of remodeling the interior will begin at once, the contract having been awarded to the McMullen brothers. Among other improvements will be a new passenger elevator. The work will be completed in time to handle the spring trade.

The company is leaving the building at Harrison and Wayne streets to be occupied soon after rthe first of the year by the Patterson-Fletcher company. In signing a lease for ten years the millinery company thought that the best location would be on Harrison street, owing to the trend of business in that direction. Possibilities of a large department store building opposite the Anthony hotel and many other contemplated business changes to this thoroughfare decided the officials of the company in their course.

STEPS OUT OF HOUSE; FINDS HUSBAND'S BODY

Wabash, Ind., Dec. 29.—Having failed to effect a reconciliation with his wife, from whom he was estranged, Glenn Gardner, 40 years old, shot himself in front of the home of his wife's parents some time last night. Mrs. Gardner was staying with her parents. She found her husband's body when she stepped out of the house today.

Kendallville and Albion Guardsmen Return Friday

Kendallville and Albion members of the Third Indiana infantry passed through this city Friday afternoon aboard two special cars on the Fort Wayne & Northern Indiana Traction lines bound for Kendallville. The cars were expected at about 11 o'clock in the morning, but were delayed about three hours.

It was a happy looking bunch of guardsmen who left the city on the last lap of the trip home and they showed that since it was impossible for them to be at home Christmas, the next best thing will be to make New Year's resolutions at home. Preparations have been made for greeting the soldiers on their return to Kendallville and the people of that city will be as glad to see them as they are to return.

The members of the Auburn company went through the city later in the afternoon enroute for their homes. Seventy-four members were in this company. Many other soldiers are

CHRISTMAS MAIL STILL UNDELIVERED.

Christmas mail piled high in one receiving station in Chicago, the central distributing point of the nation between the east and west, is shown in this picture. Other stations in same condition.

RANKS HIGH AMONG COMMERCIAL CLUBS

Fort Wayne Organization Among the Big Ones of Indiana.

Columbus, Dec. 29.—Commercial organizations in Indiana which number 158, have individual memberships varying from 12 to 1,500, according to statistics compiled by John E. Northway, secretary of the Indiana state chamber of commerce and read today at the annual meeting here. The statistics he compiled related to 84 of the 158 organizations. Fifty-two of the 84 have paid secretaries at work looking after civic matters. Parker City, with 12 members, has the smallest organization. The Indianapolis chamber of commerce with 1,500 members is the largest.

Other chambers of commerce or commercial club with large membership are: Anderson, 961; Fort Wayne, 800; Vincennes, 640; Indianapolis board of trade, 593; Huntington, 508; Connersville, 500; Muncie, 500; Terre Haute, 500; Columbus, 417; East Chicago, 400; Indianapolis Business Men's association, 400; Richmond 400, and Shelbyville 400. An income of $42,000 annually, that of the Indianapolis chamber of commerce, is the largest. The Eaton Commercial club, with an income of $31 a year, has the least money. Among the incomes of organizations in other cities are: Vincennes, $8,000; Anderson, $8,000; Bedford, $7,500; Indianapolis Business Men's association, $6,000; Wabash Chamber of Commerce, $5,500; Bloomington Chamber of Commerce, $5,475; Terre Haute Merchants' association, East Chicago Chamber of Commerce and Richmond Commercial club, $5,000 each.

The annual meeting of the state organization closed this afternoon with a business session.

HIGH MAIL RATES VIA DEUTSCHLAND

Berlin, Dec. 28.—(8:30 a. m.)—The merchant submarine Deutschland and her sister ships will carry on future voyages special mail at rates recalling those of the trans-continental post in the days of forty-niners. A special charge of two marks for a post card or letter not exceeding twenty grams in weight will be levied in addition to the regular international postage. A similar charge will be made for each further twenty grams up to a maximum weight of sixty grams. As letters sent by the ordinary route take many months in transit, six months being not unusual, it is expected they

FT. WAYNE POPULATION IS PLACED AT 76,183

Census Estimate Gives Us But Shade the Best of Evansville.

Washington, Dec. 28.—The Bureau of the Census in the final report issued at the close of the year, estimates that the state of Indiana now has a population of 2,754,042 whites and 62,775 colored. The last official census, taken in 1910, gave Indiana a population of 2,639,961 whites and 60,915 colored.

The estimates of the 1916 population of various Indiana cities compared with the census figures for 1910 are as follows:

	1916.	1910.
Anderson	23,996	22,476
Bedford	10,349	8,716
Bloomington	11,383	8,883
Brazil	10,315	9,340
Columbus	9,241	8,813
Crawfordsville	11,164	9,371
East Chicago	28,743	19,098
Elkhart	21,858	19,282
Elwood	11,028	11,028
Evansville	76,078	69,647
Fort Wayne	76,183	63,933
Frankfort	9,596	8,634
Goshen	8,965	8,514
Hammond	26,171	20,925
Huntington	10,880	10,272
Indianapolis	271,708	233,650
Jeffersonville	10,412	10,412
Kokomo	20,930	17,010
Lafayette	21,286	20,081
Laporte	13,202	10,525
Logansport	21,046	19,050
Marion	19,834	19,359
Michigan City	21,512	19,027
Mishawaka	16,385	11,886
Muncie	25,424	24,005
New Albany	23,629	20,629
Newcastle	13,241	9,446
Peru	12,410	10,910
Richmond	24,697	22,324
Shelbyville	10,965	9,500
South Bend	68,946	53,684
Terre Haute	66,083	58,157
Vincennes	8,730	8,687

According to these figures, the population of the state in the last six years has increased by 114,081 whites and 1,860 colored.

ANNUAL MEETING

Shriners Will Elect Officers for Ensuing Year Friday Evening

The annual meeting of Mizpah temple, Ancient Arabic Order Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, will be held Friday evening, Dec. 29, at 8 o'clock at the Scottish Rite cathedral. This meeting is for the annual election of officers for the ensuing year; the election of representatives for the Imperial council meeting at Minneapolis next June and the reading of the annual report of the officers.

The Shrine has enjoyed a very successful year. At the meeting Friday

ANSWER TO BE MADE TUESDAY

American Commissioners to Determine Reply to Carranza.

TEXT OF MEXICAN PLEA NOT PUBLIC

Chairman Lane Goes Over Mexican Request for Modification.

Washington, Dec. 29.—What answer will be returned to Gen. Carranza's latest appeal for modifications in the protocol, signed at Atlantic City will be determined here Tuesday. On that day the American members of the Mexican-American joint commission will meet and consider the Mexican communication delivered yesterday to Secretary Lane by Luis Cabrera of the Mexican commission.

The Mexicans probably will be here on that day, and in the event the Americans decide Carranza's reply can be given serious consideration an immediate session of the joint commission may be held.

LANE STUDIES IT.

Washington, Dec. 29.—Gen. Carranza's latest communication asking modification of the protocol covering withdrawal of American troops from Mexico was examined closely today by Secretary Lane, chairman of the American members of the joint commission, who has summoned his colleagues to confer with him here as soon as possible. They will decide what answer to give the Mexican representatives when another session of the commission is held early next week. The note has not been made public.

It is believed certain, however, that the Mexican first chief replied to the insistent American demand that the protocol signed by his spokesmen at Atlantic City be ratified with an 800-word document, in which he failed to accede to the demand, but refrained from writing anything that could be construed as a flat repudiation.

The latest suggestions for changes in the agreement now will be considered by the three American representatives

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PRESIDENT PUTS HIS O. K. ON BOND ISSUE

Tentatively Agrees With Leaders on Plan to Meet Deficit.

Washington, Dec. 29.—President Wilson has tentatively agreed with administration leaders in congress on a bond issue to meet part of the treasury deficit which confronts the government for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1918, estimated at about $180,000,000. With Secretary McAdoo, the president is working on other plans for raising additional revenue.

The president has pointed out that he believes a bond issue should be used only to meet temporary and emergency expenditures. Many of these have been caused by the Mexican situation. The treasury already has authority by previous acts of congress to issue Panama canal bonds and about $240,000,000 of these are available. They would bear three per cent. Plans for raising the other revenue are understood to concern the income tax, an inheritance tax and special taxes on internal revenue.

CIGAR "BOMB" PROBE WITHOUT A CULPRIT

Train Conductor Innocently Put Loaded Smokers Into the Mail.

Los Angeles, Calif., Dec. 29.—No charge can be made against the person who manufactured the twenty five cigar "bombs" recently sent through the mails, even if he is found, according to post office inspector, Charles R. Ranger. Investigation today revealed that A. C. Gardner, a railroad conductor, placed the "loaded" cigars in the mail having found the package of stamped and addressed explosive containers on a vacant seat in the smoking car of his train.

"The fact that maker did not place the "bombs" in the mail," said Ranger "and that Gardner was entirely innocent in his action, leaves us without a culprit."

To date two persons have been arrested, one by [illegible] made to

DENIES CONNECTION WITH DYNAMITE PLOT

San Francisco, Dec. 29.—Cross-examination of Charles C. Crowley, chief of the detective bureau instituted by the German consulate here at the outbreak of the war, is to begin today in the trial of Consul General Franz Bopp and associates accused of conspiracy to violate American neutrality. Crowley testified on direct examination yesterday that his duties as a confidential agent for the consulate took him into Canada. He denied all connection with the dynamiting conspiracy which the government's chief witness, Louis J. Smith, had charged against him and the consulate heads.

GERMANS IN A NEW DRIVE

Attempt to Break Through Mountain Region Into Moldavia.

AIMING TO FORCE FOES' LINES BACK

Russo-Rumanians Offering Stubborn Resistance to Von Mackensen.

Today's War News Given in Summary

The opening of what may prove to be an important offensive by the Teutonic forces along the Moldavian western frontier is revealed in the current Berlin statement. Apparently it is the Austro-German purpose to break through the mountain region here and force the Russo-Rumanian lines back along the lower Carpathian barrier into interior Moldavia. Several heights were captured in the effort which evidently is made in conjunction with the northward thrust of the Teutonic armies from Wallachia to the east of this line, the Southern flank of which is thus threatened. From Wallachia northward Field Marshal von Mackensen's advance has been pressed on the west nearly fifteen miles north of Rimnik Sarat, and new progress also has been made near the Danube where Braila, a grain and oil center, is the next important point in the line of the Tentonic progress.

The Petrograd statement reveals that Rumanian troops are again in the field in Northwestern Wallachia, and the indications are that resistance of a most stubborn sort is being offered to von Mackensen's thrust toward the Sereth line which runs northwest through Central Moldavia from a point on the Danube, just north of Braila. The Germans, however, have taken 1,400 more prisoners from the Russians, together with three cannons.

In Dobrudja, opposite Braila and Galtiza, the Bulgarian, Turkish and German forces have closed in further upon the Matchin bridge head, taking the town of Ratchelu, on the Danube, ten miles across the northwestern neck of Dobrudja.

Paris today reports the repulse of an attack in force by the Germans between hill 304 and Deadman hill, northwest of Verdun, admitting penetration of but one French trench south of the latter eminence. Berlin claims that German troops transferred from the Somme front, penetrated into the second and third French lines, captured more than 200 prisoners and seven machine guns, and repulsed several counter attacks.

Berlin, Dec. 29.—In Rumania yesterday Teutonic troops captured several positions, taking 1,400 prisoners, eighteen machine guns and three cannon.

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WILL PUT NEXT MOVE UP TO 400,000 MEN

New York, Dec. 29.—The 400,000 railroad employes affiliated with the four trainmens brotherhoods will decide the next step which will be taken by their authorized committee which has been handling their side of the controversy over the operation of the Adamson act it was announced here today by the brotherhood chiefs.

The brotherhood leaders after an unannounced conference here this afternoon gave out a statement indicating their fear that the pending litigation together with possible future legal moves on the part of the railroads [illegible] delay in carrying the [illegible]

ASKS LAWSON TO MAKE GOOD

Chairman Henry Calls Boston Man to Substantiate His Charges.

"PUT UP OR SHUT UP" DEMAND MADE

Lively Doings Promised in Regard to "Leak" at Washington.

Washington, Dec. 29.—The controversy which has followed Congressman Wood's resolution for investigation of whether any member of President Wilson's official family profited

THOMAS W. LAWSON.

in the stock market because of "inside information on the president's peace notes," got into semi-official form today when Chairman Henry of the house rules committee telegraphed Thomas W. Lawson, of Boston, to come to Washington and substantiate his published statements that he knew

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One Look Costs a "Blind" Man $3,500

HAZEL DALEY.

The Illinois industrial board awarded Peter Zyla $3,500 after deciding he was blinded by alternating hot and cold in the Chicago stockyards. Investigator, distinguished as a director, induced Zyla, a pigeon fancier, to pose with Hazel Daley [illegible] trees, and his pigeons. [illegible] asked Miss Daley to lift [illegible] trife. She did and the [illegible] Zyla, [illegible]

FARMERS TO ATTEND TWO STATE EXHIBITS

Short Course and State Corn Show to Be Held at Purdue University.

Allen county is preparing to send a party of seventy to the farmer's short course and the state corn show, both of which will be held at Purdue university, Lafayette, the week of January 8 to 13. A. J. Hutchins, county agent, is making arrangements for getting a special car for the trip and has asked county agents over the Twelfth district to forward as soon as possible the number of persons who will represent their counties at the two exhibits.

The short course is for men, women, boys, and girls interested in agriculture and country life. During the short course week the various agricultural associations will hold their annual meetings at Purdue giving an opportunity for all in attendance to hear the program. For the boys and girls special work in the systematic study of corn, livestock, dairying, horticulture and home economics has been arranged. C. F. Curtis, of Ames, Ia., who has justereturned from South America, has been secured to speak at the breeder's meeting on "The Breeder's Opportunity." Other speakers will be: R. J. Kinzer, secretary of the American Hereford association; Dr. A. F. Nelson, state veterinarian; Prof. O. F. Erf, of Ohio university; E. B. Hart of Wisconsin.

A new feature of the poultry program will be the "Commercial Poultryman's Day." Interesting demonstrations will be given throughout the week with the aid of the moving picture. J. J. Wingert, Crawfordsville; Edward Hobart, Williamsport, and A. A. Graham, of Liberty, will speak at the poultry sessions.

Association Meetings

Association meetings to be held during the week of the short course are: Indiana Sheep Breeder's & Feeder's association, Jan. 9; Indiana Corn Grower's association, Jan. 10; Indiana Livestock Breeder's association, Jan. 11; Indiana Angus Breeder's association, Jan. 11; Indiana Hereford Breeder's association, Jan. 11; Indiana Shorthorn Breeder's association, Jan. 11; Indiana State Dairy association, Jan. 11-12; Indiana Jersey Cattle club, Jan. 11; Indiana Holstein Friesian association, Jan. 11; Indiana Guernsey Breeder's association, Jan. 11; and Indiana Home Economics association, Jan 11.

Open to Indiana Farmers

The twelfth annual state corn and small grain grower's show is open to Indiana farmers. More than $600 is offered in premiums and in excess of 200 different premiums will be awarded. Five trophies will be given as sweepstakes premiums. The Indiana Grain Dealer's association will offer a trophy for the best sample of oats exhibited. The Johnson county trophy is for the best sample of white corn; the Gray trophy for the best specimen of yellow corn, ten ears; the Volger trophy for the best single ear; the American Hominy company for the best ear of hominy corn. Exhibits must be in the show room Monday, January 8 at 6 p. m. I. N. Brown, of Franklin, is president of the show. J. N. McMahan, of Liberty, is vice-president, and G. I. Christie, of Lafayette, secretary-treasurer. The state is divided into five sections and prizes will be awarded by sections. Prize winning exhibits in the several sections will be eligible for entry in the sweepstakes classes, including the whole state.

NO USE OF TALKING COMPROMISE TO DRYS

Indianapolis, Dec. 29.—The dry federation and the Anti-Saloon league, which have joined forces, announce that nothing short of statutory prohibition will be acceptable to the dry forces. Neither will compromise on a constitutional amendment, according to a statement given out by E. S. Shumaker, superintendent of the league. A state wide prohibitory law would make the state dry early in 1918, he said, while a constitutional amendment would permit the state to remain wet for at least four years. The federation proposes to open headquarters here soon, to be in charge of Horace H. Herr, secretary.

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ROGERS

VALUED CARPENTER'S TOOLS ABOVE JEWELS

Judge Imposes Half Year Sentence for Theft of Few Instruments.

Judge Kerr pronounced an eulogy on the carpenter tools in police court Friday morning.

They are more valuable than jewels. They are as important as the strong right arm of the man who uses them. They are the instruments which make our homes possible. Upon their keeness and stability depends the bread and butter for children of the men who follow the ancient trade of building.

Spectators in police court looked time and again at the prosaic saws and augers, laying by the prosecutor's desk, as Judge Kerr pictured the golden value in their helpfulness to man of the structural implements.

Charles Miller, 24, will have plenty of time to con over the treasured function of wood working tools as he digs and chops and shovels at the state farm. Judge Kerr ended his little talk by announcing a fine of $10 and costs and a state farm sentence of 150 days for Miller, charged with petit larceny, because he stole saws and augers.

William Lee, rural route No. 9, was in court to identify the carpenter tools as his own. He had left them in a partly finished house in the west end and Miller had removed the tools last Tuesday night. Miller was taken by Detective Sergeant Walter Immel when in the act of selling the instruments, valued at $20, in a saloon.

Arrested Again.

Dayton Driver and John Hartman, two young men, were arrested for the second time Thursday afternoon because they were accomplices in the stealing of an automobile five months ago.

Hartman and Driver were with Russel Thompson and a girl, named May Williams, when Thompson took the machine belonging to James Hayes, last summer. The quartet drove to Grand Rapids, Mich., where they were arrested. The three men were charged with grand larceny. Thompson was convicted in the circuit court last week and fined $10 and sentenced to six months in jail.

Hartman and Driver, who had no part in the taking of the car, could not be charged with grand larceny, it was held. It was decided to handle the young men in police court on the lesser charge of unlawful possession of an automobile.

They were arraigned in police court Friday morning. They pleaded not guilty. The case is set for January 6. They will continue under the $500 bond which they have put up in the circuit court.

Other Police Court Cases.

Edward Pressnell, charged with loitering, will be held until January 4. It is thought that he is wanted in Dayton, Ohio, on a minor charge.

Cases of public intoxication were James Kane, fined $25 and costs; James Connors, $1. Pete Doenges will be tried Saturday. Tom Kennedy, John Hanley and James Gannon were released. Henry Reeser will be held until next Tuesday. Case against Sam Hindman, charged witth loitering, was dismissed.

Colds Cause Headache and Grip. LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE removes the cause. There is only one "Bromo Quinine." E. W. GROVE'S signature is on box. 25c.

ATTACK INDIANA OIL INSPECTION STATUTE

Oil Concerns Seek Injunction to Prevent Further Enforcement.

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 29.—Five large oil concerns today filed suit in the federal court asking for an injunction to prevent further enforcement of the state law providing for oil inspection. Joint action is taken in the suit by the Moore Oil company, Indiana Refining company, Great Western Oil company and the Tiona Refining company. The action is against J. O. Behymer, state supervisor of oil inspection.

The petition attacks the law as an effort on the part of the state of Indiana to usurp the power vested in the national government, declaring that the oil inspection law now is merely enforced as a matter of revenue and that the national government alone has authority to impose taxes upon minerals and products manufactured from minerals, including oils and their refined products.

VOTES STOCK INCREASE.

Federal Securities Company Adds $100,000 to Its Capital Stock.

At a meeting held at the Commercial club, Thursday night, of the stockholders of the Federal Securities & Investment company, it was voted to increase the capital stock from $100,000 to $200,000. The secretary of state will be sent notification of the increase. The growth of the company made the increase in the capital stock necessary. Plans are now under way for the construction of forty or fifty houses next summer.

Annette Kellermann Art Calendar Free.

"A Daughter of the Gods" is the title of the million dollar picture beautiful, produced by William Fox, featuring Annette Kellerman in all her loveliness. By special arrangement the CHICAGO SUNDAY HERALD will give away absolutely free next Sunday, a 1917 art calendar, size 8¾x14 inches, with a reproduced photograph of Miss Kellermann in six colors. This calendar is one that is entirely worthy of being exploited and secured. You can obtain it free of charge by purchasing a copy of next Sunday's CHICAGO HERALD. Make sure of getting one by ordering your copy from your newsdealer today.

CHILD PLAGUE FEARED DURING COMING YEAR

Dr. Flexner Sees Prospect for Wider Spread of Dread Malady.

New York, Dec. 29.—Dr. Simon Flexner, director of the Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research, declared last night in a speech before the American Association for the Advancement of Science that he is "more or less fearful that infantile paralysis may be more widespread in the United States next summer, but there may be, perhaps, not so much of it in the eastern states."

Dr. Flexner asserted that it now is possible to say that the disease is infectious and contagious and is caused by a living micro-organism.

"I believe that the disease is here to stay for a period," he said. "It has never disappeared since its introduction here in 1906. The indications are that the community that suffers severely one year may escape the next.

Circumnavigates the Globe

Prior to 1906 this disease established a home in northern Europe. In 1906 something happened to change this. That year the disease migrated and came here, and at the same time extended over European countries which had prior to that been free of it. It is the first time in the history of any disease that an epidemic has circumnavigated the globe.

"One of the puzzles of this disease is that the term infantile paralysis is not correct. It is a misnomer because the disease can appear without any paralysis whatever resulting. Paralysis is merely an incident of the disease. During the recent epidemic more persons had it and were not paralyzed than had it and were paralyzed."

Find the "Missing Link."

A machine that "shows how sound looks," a restored "pithecanthropus erectus," who roamed the earth 500,000 years ago as the "missing link," a discussion as to whether man has been on this continent 125,000 years or 300,000, and many addresses on modern economic and humanitarian subjects made up the interest at the various sessions of the association during the day.

The sound machine, which is called the "phonodeik," was exhibited by Prof. Dayton C. Miller of the Case School of Applied Science, Cleveland, O.

The 500,000 year old pithecanthropus erectus was introduced to modern society by Prof. James H. McGregor of the department of zoology of the Columbia university. He explained that the habitat of "p. e.," as he was called for brevity, was Java. Virtually all there is of the original "ape man" is the skull and jawbone.

GIVE MUCH STUDY TO AFTER-WAR PROBLEMS

Capital to Be Plenty, But Labor Scarce, Says Banker.

Columbus, Ohio, Dec. 29.—Four national sociological and economic societies were holding the final sessions of their convention today at Ohio State university, where problems likely to arise in this country, following the war in Europe, and labor problems were being discussed by men of national reputation. They are the American Economic association, the American Sociological society, the American Statistical association and the American Association for Labor Legislation.

"We shall have capital after the war, but shall not have labor enough to employ it," said George E. Roberts, of the National City bank, of New York, discussing before the Economy association the situation of the United States at the close of the European war with special reference to the gold supply.

"The labor of Europe and the capital of America will have to be brought together," said Roberts. "Conditions seem to favor the transfer of capital, in the form of gold, to Europe rather than the removal of the population from Europe to America," he added.

Roberts criticized the new federal reserve act. "In their anxiety to decentralize the banking business the authors of this act neglected to centralize the gold reserves, which is the most important requisite of a reserve system," said Roberts. "The result is that while the country's stock of gold has increased from Jan. 1 to Nov. 1, by approximately $400,000,000 the federal reserve bank of New York, upon whom the demand for gold export must inevitably fall, has gained less than $5,000,000 and all the federal reserve banks together have gained less than $132,000,000."

The general monetary situation, the transfer of gold to the bank reserve of the United States and other countries and the increased use of paper money in Europe undoubtedly has and will continue to have an influence for higher prices, Roberts said.

FARMER'S SON TO BE CADET.

Anderson, Ind., Dec. 29.—Notice has been received from the war department of the appointment to the United States military academy at Westpoint, of William Bronnenberg, son of a Madison county farmer. The appointment was made on recommendation of Congressman J. A. M. Adair.

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POLITICIANS SNARED IN BOND GRAFT TRAIL

Judge Landis Strikes Very Promising Lead in Chicago Sensation.

Chicago, Dec. 29.—A graft trail running from the gambling den through civil and criminal courts into some of the highest offices of the state, was uncovered during a sensational court session held by Federal Judge Landis yesterday. The names of men conspicuous in public life were brought in. One thrill was the issuance of a subpoena for Lieut. Gov. Barratt O'Hara.

Others mentioned, who may be subpoenaed today, are: State Senator George F. Harding, Representative Larry O'Brien, John F. O'Malley and James A. Quinn.

The revelations of systematic graft conducted by crooked bondsmen, court attaches, gamblers, thieves and other criminals, as the result of Judge Landis' inquiry into the bail bond business, which has already involved almost a hundred men, promise a scandal of far-reaching effect.

"Endless Chain" Trap.

By his "endless chain" method of getting at the bottom of each question that comes up in his court, Judge Landis has been able to learn the names of politicians, officials and crooks associated in various kinds of business and criminal transactions.

And it all started over one little lie told in the Smiglak $1,000 bankruptcy hearing three weeks ago. To cover the first lie another one had to be told, and when the witness became so tangled he could go no farther, he would blame his troubles on some one else. Then the judge began sending the perjurors to jail. Bondsmen appeared, and as their records were far from clear, they soon found themselves in over their heads.

They began to call for help from friends, and as the friends made their appearance the judge landed on them. And up to yesterday it was discovered that out of the seventy-five or more men involved, only as many as could be counted on the fingers of one hand had clear records.

From the bankrupt swindler the inquiry got into the bonding business, and in an attempt to discover how the crooked bondsmen could operate, it was learned they were aided through the connivance of court attaches, public officials and politicians.

EIGHT CONVICTED IN PHANTOM HORSE DEAL

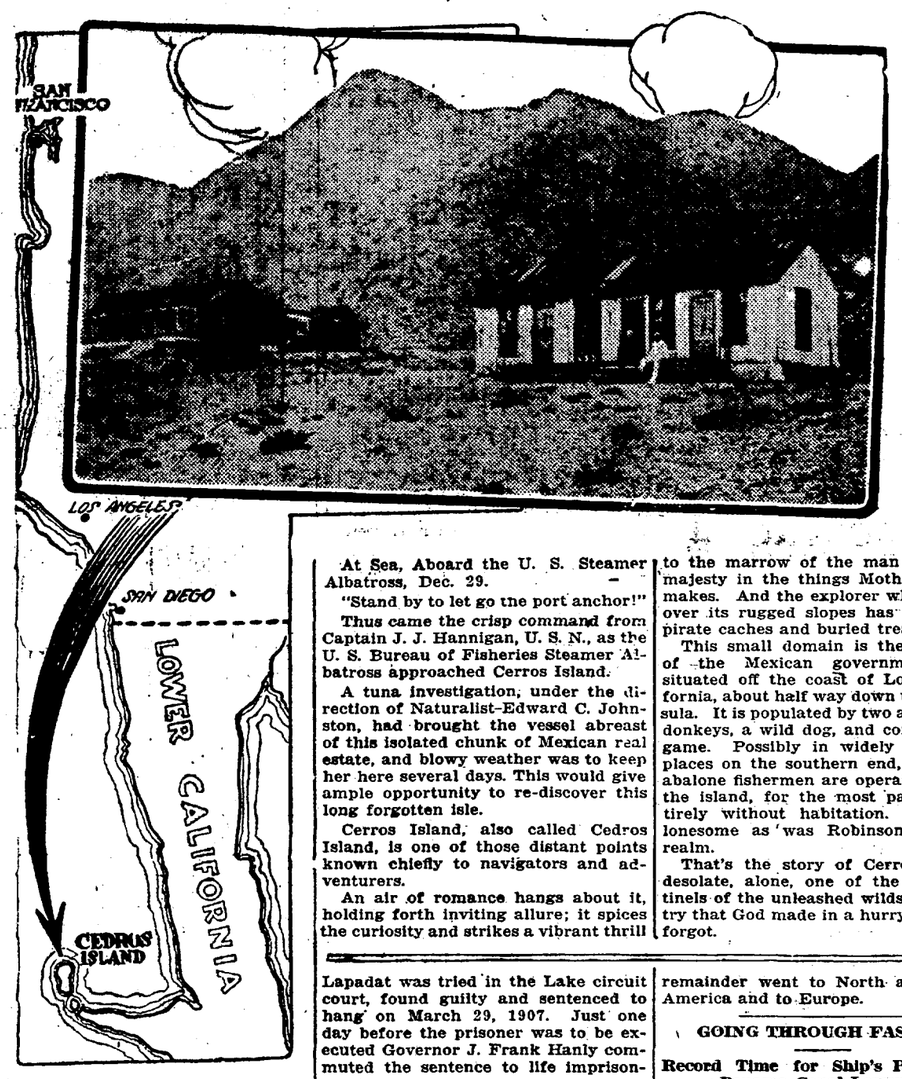
Court Verdict Adverse to Men Who Pulled Million Dollar Swindle.

Omaha, Dec. 29.—The jury in the case of eleven defendants charged with use of the mails to defraud in sales of phantom "wild horses" in Coconino county, Arizona, late yesterday returned a verdict of guilty against eight defendants and found two not guilty. One defendant was dismissed by the judge. The case was one in which the United States Live Stock company and the Omaha Land and Investment company were charged by the government with sales of fictitious "wild horses," amounting to a million dollars. Forty men were indicted in connection with these sales.

The following were found guilty: Albert Hastings, Silver Creek, Neb.; C. W. West, Lincoln, Neb.; William Hinkley, Brayton, Neb.; Jack Shercliff, Minneapolis; J. S. Smith, C. A. Smith, C. M. Thompson and John Bolecy, Omaha. Clemency was recommended for Thompson and Bolecy. F. V. Guldinger, Minneapolis, and B. F. Berwinkle, Des Moines, were found not guilty. L. R. West, of Des Moines, was dismissed by the judge, who said the prosecution had failed to make a case against him.

William Kallenbach, of the Penney copper department, and J. R. Markey machinist, will spend the week-end [illegible]

SENTINEL OF WATERY WILDS IS POPULATED BY JUST TWO LONELY DONKEYS.



Cedros Island, lonely sentinel of western Pacific, and its relative position to coast ports.

At Sea, Aboard the U. S. Steamer Albatross, Dec. 29.

"Stand by to let go the port anchor!"

Thus came the crisp command from Captain J. J. Hannigan, U. S. N., as the U. S. Bureau of Fisheries Steamer Albatross approached Cerros Island.

A tuna investigation, under the direction of Naturalist Edward C. Johnston, had brought the vessel abreast of this isolated chunk of Mexican real estate, and blowy weather was to keep her here several days. This would give ample opportunity to re-discover this long forgotten isle.

Cerros Island, also called Cedros Island, is one of those distant points known chiefly to navigators and adventurers.

An air of romance hangs about it, holding forth inviting allure; it spices the curiosity and strikes a vibrant thrill to the marrow of the man who sees majesty in the things Mother Nature makes. And the explorer who tramps over its rugged slopes has visions of pirate caches and buried treasure.

This small domain is the property of the Mexican government, and situated off the coast of Lower California, about half way down the peninsula. It is populated by two abandoned donkeys, a wild dog, and considerable game. Possibly in widely separated places on the southern end, Japanese abalone fishermen are operating. But the island, for the most part, is entirely without habitation. It is as lonesome as 'was Robinson Crusoe's realm.

That's the story of Cerros Island, desolate, alone, one of the last sentinels of the unleashed wilds—a country that God made in a hurry and then forgot.

MISSED NOOSE BY A DAY; AGAIN GAINER

Further Commutation Won by Good Prison Record of Convict.

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 29.—Governor Ralston ordered a commutation of sentence yesterday for John Lapadat, who is serving a life sentence in the state prison for murder committed in Lake county in November, 1906. Lapadat was tried in the Lake circuit court, found guilty and sentenced to hang on March 29, 1907. Just one day before the prisoner was to be executed Governor J. Frank Hanly commuted the sentence to life imprisonment.

Governor Hanly stated that there was insufficient evidence to convict the man of murder in the first degree, as a reason for his commutation. Since that time the prisoner has maintained a perfect record at the prison and an appeal from the jurors and others connected with the case led Governor Ralston to commute the life sentence to from two to twenty-one years.

The governor ordered a remission of fine and a parole to William Goble, Indianapolis; Fred Frederickson, Terre Haute, and Tuck Adams, Monroe county. Goble was sentenced in police court, Aug. 1, to serve six months at the penal farm and pay a fine of $50 and costs for having possession unlawfully of an automobile.

It was represented to the governor that Goble had a wife and small child in distress because of the husband and father being taken away from them. Adams was sentenced in the Monroe circuit court, Nov. 30, to serve sixty days at the penal farm and pay a fine of $50 and costs for having liquor for unlawful purposes. Frederickson was sentenced from the Terre Haute police court, July 5, after conviction for assault and battery. He was to serve 180 days at the farm and pay a fine of $200 and costs. Both the last named men were released because they had no money with which to pay their fines.

The governor honored a requisition from the governor of Michigan asking for the release of Cassius Montjoy to Detroit (Mich.) officers. Montjoy is wanted in Detroit to answer a charge of abandonment.

DO YOUR CHRISTMAS SWAPPING EARLY!

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Any man, woman or child will be wrecked mentally and physically if their eyes are not tested and glasses fitted at the proper time and place. See Voirol, 1518 Calhoun. Now is the time before [illegible]

AMERICAN PIANOS POPULAR.

Use Increasing Rapidly in All Parts of the Globe.

Washington, Dec. 29.—American pianos are growing rapidly in popularity abroad, particularly in the remotest sections of the globe. Figures made public today by the department of commerce show that in the fiscal year, 1916, over 10,600 pianos and player pianos were exported, breaking all previous records. Australia, New Zealand and the Philippines took [illegible] Africa, the [illegible] remainder went to North and South America and to Europe.

GOING THROUGH FASTER.

Record Time for Ship's Passage in Panama Canal Lowered.

Washington, Dec. 29.—The record time for passing a ship through the Panama canal has been lowered to six hours and twenty minutes. On December 17, the Pacific steam navigation liner, Acajuta, passed through in that time, which was five minutes better than the previous record.

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Contributions toward the purchase of Turkey Run and McCormick's Creek Canyon, as the first link in a chain of 200 state-owned parks, will be received gratefully and acknowledged through the Fort Wayne newspapers if sent either to Samuel M. Foster, German-American bank, or to Dick Vesey, Bass block, city. All checks in support of the fund are payable to Sol S. Kiser, treasurer, Meyer-Kiser bank, Indianapolis.

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INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

(By E. O. SELLERS, Acting Director of the Sunday School Course in the Moody Bible Institute of Chicago.)

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LESSON FOR DECEMBER 31

CHRIST'S COMING AND COMING TO CHRIST (REVIEW).

READING LESSON—Rev. 22:6-14; 16:21.
GOLDEN TEXT—The spirit and the bride say, come. And he that heareth, let him say, come. And he that is athirst, let him come. He that wills, let him take of the water of life freely.—Rev. 22:17.

It is possible in lessons one to nine to review the past quarter's work, in a logical, chronological manner, but lessons seven and nine are not in their proper chronological setting. These lessons extend over five years of Paul's life from about 58 A. D. to 63 A. D. They are five wonderful years, and the last of the authentic years we have of the life of this wonderful man. The review should of course center in Paul, his conduct, character and teachings.

The first twelve chapters of the Book of Acts, in which we have chiefly been studying, cover a period of about sixteen years, A. D. 30-46, with Jerusalem as the center. The rest of the Book of Acts cover another period of approximately 16 years from 46 to 62, and is the record of the foreign missionary work of Paul and his companions, Paul being of course the central character. The series for this quarter close with the vision of the final triumph of Christianity as seen by John in the Revelation. Maps should be employed if possible to show the journeys of Paul. The risen Christ and the enduement of the Holy Spirit were the vision and the power which wrote this first Church History, and which have been writing Church History ever since. The home church (Chs. 2-7) began with about 120 praying men and women. Peter's first sermon brought into "the way" 3,000 more. From time to time others were added. Persecution and deliverances, the first martyr, Stephen, and the dissatisfaction which led to the choice of the deacons, are the outstanding events of this period. The home mission period, with Jerusalem as the center and Palestine as the field (Chapters 8-12) covers a period of about ten years. Persecution scattered the disciples throughout the country. Paul was converted on the road to Damascus, Philip goes to Samaria, and Peter carries on the work throughout Lydda, Joppa and Caesarea. In this section we have the story of Philip and the Ethiopian, of Peter curing the palsied man at Lydda, the raising of Dorcas and Paul and Barnabas returning to Jerusalem with help to those at that city who were suffering from famine. Then begins the period of foreign missions, covering about sixteen years, from about A. D. 47 to 62. The principal characters begin of course with Paul and Barnabas, though Paul soon takes his place of leadership. Paul's first missionary journey lasted for about two years, from say A. D. 47 to 49, Barnabas being his principal companion. Returning to Antioch from Jerusalem, Paul soon began his second journey, this time taking with him Silas. Again there is a period of about two years, from A. D. 50 to 52. Paul had his Macedonian vision during this time, and the gospel first entered Europe, beginning with the conversion of the Philippian jailor. Paul's preaching at Athens and his service at Corinth are perhaps the most outstanding features of this journey. Paul's third journey lasted nearly three years, A. D. 53 to 56 or 57. He re-visits the Asia Minor churches to strengthen them, spends nearly three years at Ephesus, and has some outstanding adventures as, for instance, the riot at Ephesus about the shrines of Diana. Returning to Jerusalem to take part in the feast, he is told of the ultimate persecutions which he must endure. For a long time he has desired to preach the gospel in Rome. Everyone of the trials, hindrances, oppositions and attacks proved to be the means by which he gained that desired end.

In this particular quarter, in lesson one, we see Paul's calmness in persecution, his prudence under danger. In lesson two, his delicate courtesy and shrewdness in seizing every opportunity that he might witness for his Lord. In lesson three is manifested his unshaken belief in everything found in the Scriptures, and his wise use thereof in leading men to Christ. In lesson five, his fearlessness amidst danger and his absolute confidence in God. In lesson six, his humility. In lesson seven, his well balanced common sense and his love of peace among his brethren. In lesson eight, we see him longing for human companionship and sympathy, and have an evidence of his love for his own countrymen, and yet his faithfulness declaring the word of God to them as well as to the Gentiles.

Last Sunday we stood with Isaiah, looking down through the centuries to the man of Galilee 700 years hence. Today, as we review this quarter and the lessons of the past year, we are looking back nearly two thousand years to the one who wrought out our salvation on Calvary, but we may also turn our faces the other way, and look for him whose returning will bring peace to the earth, and at whose coming the brightness of his glory shall cover the earth even as the waters cover the sea.

We have seen the breaking down of 'armed peace."

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To the Man That Buys His Clothes at Sale Prices

We want to reason with you and talk plain English about the clothes question—there are lots of men that wait until after Christmas to buy their clothes, thinking that they can do better and that the prices will be lowered. You will read in the advertising columns of the newspapers about different clothing sales, such as "half-off sales," "season-end sales"—merchants offering to sell $25 garments for half the price and others at cost. This, you know, cannot be done if you stop to consider. These same merchants, a month ago, advertised $35 and $40 garments for $25; now they swing at you with the same clothes at half that price. You see, you are not getting a full measure of value for your money. No merchant can afford to sell his clothes at cost. He must make a profit in order to continue business—to state it plain, when you are dealing with a store that has all kinds of sales, you don't really know when you are getting full value.

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SOLDIERS IMPROVE IN MARKSMANSHIP

Advance is Noted Among Pershing's Forces in Mexico.

Field Headquarters American Expedition in Mexico, Dec. 15.—(Correspondence of The Associated Press.)—Extraordinary improvement in marksmanship is being noted in reports received at field headquarters. The regular life of the soldiers has steadied their nerves, and the clear air of the Mexican plateau region make sighting easy. Another factor in the good showing is the steady drill the men have received in fire control, new methods of which are being tried by the cavalry with remarkable success.

Machine gun troops also are being drilled to use their arms to the best advantage. Recently several companies of the Sixteenth infantry were brought north from El Valle and demonstrations of fire control were given for the benefit of the officers stationed here. The machine gun work was under the direction of Capt. F. S. Bowen, assisted by Capt. W. C. Short.

Among the most interesting experiments now being conducted is that in pistol firing by a detachment of cavalry, chosen at random. A pistol board, which is conducting the work, has evolved a unique line of targets, worked by ropes and pulleys, which fall flat when the cavalry charge over them. The attempt is being made to evolve a system of pistol firing while charging. At present the men are firing directly ahead while leaning forward in their saddles and holding their arms just ahead to the right of their mounts' ears. Excellent results, it is said, have already been obtained.

When ammunition arrives, another interesting test will be made, that of determining how effectually the present three-inch field gun will demolish barbed wire entanglements, trenches and bomb proofs. A line of fortifications has been constructed as nearly like those in Europe as possible. The artillery will be allowed to work on these under conditions that would obtain in actual war and the results of their fire will be noted.

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After you have taken it for a few days and thoroughly cleaned the system, an occasional wineglassful will keep your bowels regular and make you feel good all the time.—Advertisement.

OLDEST AND YOUNGEST SAILORS PAY VISIT TO PRESIDENT.

The oldest and youngest sailors in the Atlantic fleet are James McCarthy, 61, and Lloyd Cornell, 16. They spent shore leave visiting President Wilson, instead of going home for Christmas.

ZANESVILLE NEWS.

Ivan Redding of Fort Wayne is visiting with his father Joshua Redding.

Amos Ward who has been very sick for a few days is reported better.

Bernard Pearson and Harry Keplinger made a business trip to Uniondale, Wednesday.

A. H. Knight who has been suffering greatly since Saturday evening from the effects of running the prong of a fork into his foot is much improved.

Miss Gertrude Keplinger, teacher of domestic science in the Flint high school, is visiting with her parents Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Keplinger.

Ivan Hamilton and family of Fairchild, Montana, are visiting with his father and mother Mr. and Mrs. John Hamilton.

Robert Clark died Wednesday morning at nine o'clock from pneumonia, at the age of 78 years. Mr. Clark was born in Tuscarawas Co. Ohio, and moved with his parents to Allen Co. Indiana when but a small boy. He served [illegible] Regiment I. V., was wounded at Murfreesboro, Tenn., battle of Vots Hill. Married Miss Amanda Diffendorfer soon after the close of the war. Mr. Clark has resided in Zanesville almost all of his married life. He leaves, besides the widow seven children as follows: Mrs. Minnie Wagner of Columbia City, Ind.; Markley, Dora and William of Fort Wayne, Charles A. and Mrs. Alma Smith of Zanesville, also 23 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Mr. Clark held the position of postmaster of Zanesville for 16 years. Resigning only when the weight of his advancing years compelled him to do so in 1913.

The funeral services at the Church of God where Mr. Clark has been a member for fifty years.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Tobias of Kalkaska, Mich., arrived Saturday evening to spend a few days at the home of his mother Mrs. Hannah Tobias.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Motz visited Friday near Nine Mile at the home of their son Chester Motz and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Carll and Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Carll were Fort Wayne shoppers Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Scott and family of Forty Wayne came Saturday to spend Christmas with his mother Mrs. Susan Scott.

Saturday evening there was given miscellaneous shower at the home of Dr. and Mrs. J. L. McBride in honor of their daughter Mrs. Carl Hulvey, who was married a few weeks ago.

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DAILY BIBLE READINGS FOR THE HOME

Luke 18:22-30.

22 Now when Jesus heard these things, he said unto him, Yet lackest thou one thing: sell all that thou hast, and distribute unto the poor, and thou shalt have treasure in heaven: and come, follow me.

23 And when he heard this, he was very sorrowful: for he was very rich.

24 And when Jesus saw that he was very sorrowful, he said, How hardly shall they that have riches enter into the kingdom of God!

25 For it is easier for a camel to go through a needle's eye, than for a rich man to enter into the kingdom of God.

26 And they that heard it said, Who then can be saved?

27 And he said, The things which are impossible with men are possible with God.

28 Then Peter said, Lo, we have left all, and followed thee.

29 And he said unto them, Verily I say unto you, There is no man that hath left house, or parents, or brethren, or wife, or children, for the kingdom for God's sake.

30 Who shall not receive manifold more in this present time, and in the world to come life everlasting.

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Mr. Lawson to Mr. Wood

Thomas W. Lawson, the Boston financier, who is reputed to have cleaned up several millions of dollars in stock market plunges on an advance "tip" that President Wilson was to urge peace negotiations a week or more ago, is attempting to have some fun at the expense of Representative Wood, of Indiana, who has introduced a resolution in congress for a rigid investigation of the alleged "leak" through which information filtered to the speculators before it was given to the general public. In a telegram to the Indiana congressman, Mr. Lawson says:

> "Take a tip from one who played the big Washington-Wall street game and the big international publicity game long before you were old enough to distinguish between a stock exchange and a congressional hall; spend less time on last week and more time on this week's leak which is liable to inundate both Wall street and Washington.
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> "There were only sixty-odd millions hogsheaded from last week's; this week's may run into billions.
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> "And this tip, too, is meant in the best of spirit. If it was actually believed in Washington there was to be a real investigation of last week's leak, there would not be a quorum in either the senate or the house next Monday, and there would be a shifting of bank accounts similar to those in the good old sugar investigation days."

The Boston financier further intimates that he is easy to locate and that it will not be at all a difficult matter to induce him to testify before the congressional committee as to what he knows of the case. Despite the fact that nothing gratifies Mr. Lawson more than spectacular publicity of this sort, we trust Representative Wood will lose no time in demanding a show-down on the proposition. The affair has reached a stage that makes dropping it without investigation inconceivable. Whether Mr. Lawson deliberately intended to do so or whether he was merely indulging in a sensational play to the galleries, his assertion that a quorum of congress would be impossible if anybody supposed there was to be a real investigation constitutes so grave a reflection on that body that it cannot afford to pass it in silence. To save its self-respect, congress should insist on Mr. Lawson "coming through" with a statement of what he knows or what he thinks he knows regarding the whole business.

The latest turn in peace negotiation developments is the indication that the dickering may be done secretly, with all the communications of a highly confidential character, and that the public will have little authoritative information as to terms, contentions and concessions until the peace pact is either ratified or abandoned as a wholly hopeless undertaking. Perhaps that plan promises most for progress, but it is going to be a great hardship for most of us to be denied a part in the argumentative proceedure attending the settlement of the world war. By a very large majority we are confident we could fix the affair up speedily and satisfactorily if they would only listen to us.

Five big oil concerns have just filed suit in the federal court at Indianapolis to restrain Indiana from further enforcement of the state oil inspection law, declaring that the purposes of the statute are now all accomplished by federal inspection, and that the state supervision of oil is maintained only as a matter of revenue. It will be recalled that one of the strong campaign pronouncements of Governor-elect Goodrich was his avowed intention of wiping out the state oil inspection division. The oil concerns evidently fear Mr. Goodrich may be forgetful or that he may change his mind, and that it is never judicious these days to take unnecessary chances.

Having marched up the hill, the grand jury in New York which has been investigating the advance in foodstuffs and the high cost of living generally, has accumulated a vast amount of evidence to indicate that prices are really high, and, without returning any indictments, will now march ponderously down again. This should constitute a most impressive warning to the heartless wretches who have iniquitously boosted the cost of living, and imagination fairly runs riot at the contemplation of the manner in which the food speculators will continue to tremble in their shoes!

The state-wide primary law, enacted since the last mayoralty campaign in Indiana cities, seems also to have beclouded the question as to date for party reorganization in order to prepare for the city contest during the coming year. There was much perplexity a year ago as to its operation with reference to county candidates, and about the time the thing is thoroughly straightened out, somebody will doubtless come booming along and change it again.

Congressman Cline has very wisely, in the interest of government economy, decided to supply Uncle Sam's brand of garden and flower seeds only to those who care enough about them to make a request to that effect. The change in plan makes it probable that more seeds will be planted in the garden and fewer in the waste-basket than in the general average maintained for a good many years.

The Fort Wayne auditorium committee has been off gathering information by an inspection of buildings of this character elsewhere, which is both desirable and essential, but up to the present moment they've left the Fort Wayne public in harrowing suspense as to where they're going to put the building after they've got it.

Sketches from Life By Temple

A Magnifying Glass

Live Honestly is a Fine Code of Ethics

Most of us expect 1917 is going to be the best year we have ever known. Facing the future in an optimistic frame of mind is undoubtedly the right attitude toward life. But people differ widely as to what they have a right to expect. To some life means nothing but getting. The method of acqusition, the way in which they make their great expectations come true, bothers them but little.

A simple code of ethics by Prof. Franklin H. Giddings of Columbia university, printed in "School and Society," contains this:

"Honest living means putting back into the world as much as you take out of it. You don't live honestly if, being able-bodied, in good health, and of sound mind, you let somebody else pay your way.

"You don't live honestly if, when you become a business man, you get something for nothing: from the legislature or the city, or from your customers, or from your wage earners.

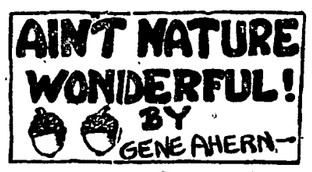
"Put back in some way, in some service, or improvement, or benefaction, above all in a fair price and a just wage, as much as you take out of the resources of the earth, out of the revenues and common possessions of the community, and out of the toil of men."

Many persons recognize the worth of this preachment—for others, but only those who make it a working basis for their own living will discover all of the possible blessings in the new born year.

Caucus Won't Work in This Instance

(Indiana Daily Times.)

A correspondent writes to say that a republican legislator from northern Indiana, discussing legislation, gives out the suggestion that Indiana republicans, owing their 1916 political success to the saloon interests, must cleave to the liquor traffic and turn down all anti-saloon legislation at the coming sessions of the Indiana legislature. It is possible a few G. O. P. legislators—Allen county's squad for example—may feel as if they are bound, by unfortunate political complications, to line up with the saloon element and against the good people of the state. We do not believe any large number of lawmakers will be found voting with the saloon cause. The liquor question is not partisan. The party caucus that tries to compel its members to support the saloon will find itself blown to fragments with terrific immediacy. This is no time to attempt to "line up" on the wrong side. This is no time to attempt to make a caucus or party matter of a moral issue. We do not believe any political leadership will be so obtuse or blind as to seek to dictate through caucus or other methods how legislators shall vote on moral questions.



WORRYING.

Worrying is working the brain overtime about something that ain't yet. Worrying can do more harm to a fellow than a six-day bike race or work. The fellow who doesn't worry never says, "Gee! I used to wear a 15 collar and now I wear a 14."

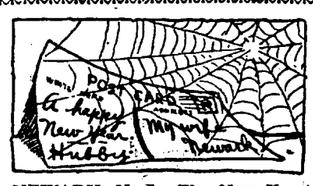
Be like the fellow who went to get seats for a show: He didn't worry whether the show was any good. He laughed when he bought the tickets.

As the farmer: He didn't worry about the rain coming through the hole in the roof down on his bed. He moved the bed.

Like the girl in Detroit: Her cat went out one night and she worried about 50 pounds worth. Misdirected energy, George. The cat showed up the next night with all his hair, two ears, four paws, and a tail. He got hungry.

Lookit us. We aren't worrying whether this sermon is any good. If some people say it isn't any good we just say, "Aw, they don't know good stuff when they see it."

ODD, ISN'T IT?



NEWARK, N. J.—The New Year's greeting Sergeant Bonnet's wife mailed him on a postcard Dec. 30, 1905, has just been delivered.

SHORT ONES.

Dishonest men conceal their faults from themselves, as well as others; honest men know and confess them.—La Rochefoucauld.

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We won't know how effective England's new commerce protectors are until the Deutschland tries the comeback.

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Time drags for shirkers and pessimists, and flies for workers and optimists.

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Let's ask San Marino what it thinks about peace?

Every Woman Should Read This.

"When I feel out of sorts and there are indications of a torpid liver, I take Chamberlain's Tablets and in a few days feel like a new woman," writes Mrs. James Fitzgerald, Batavia, N. Y. These tablets not only correct the disorders of the liver, but improve the appetite and strengthen the digestion. Obtainable everywhere.—Advertisement.

Reserve your table at Alt Heidelberg for New Year's celebration, Saturday night
29-2t

The Sentinel's Daily Cartoonet

UNFOLDING HER WINGS

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

What the Sentinel Had to Say About Persons and Events Twenty-Five Years Ago.

Bishop Dwenger is recovering from his recent illness.

A company is being organized at Decatur to build an opera house.

Mrs. Frank Poole has as her guest her sister, Mrs. Mahurin, of Indianapolis.

Telephone No. 141 has been placed in the offices of the National and American Express companies.

James Madden, the plumber, has returned from Nappanee, Ind., where he was superintending his contract of putting in the city waterworks.

The horrid practice of "shooting the old year out" is going out of date, and the use of firearms on New Year's eve ought to be suppressed.

Allen J. Vesey, brother of the attorney, who was here from Kernett, Mo., has returned to that place, where he and P. A. Randall are running a saw mill.

Tuesday evening at 10:30 o'clock ocurred the death of John F. Racine, after a short illness with grip. The deceased was one of the pioneers of the county.

The stamp and newspaper department in the postoffice are now enclosed by a wire cage. Pete Poirson and Paul Hoppe look at their colleagues in the mail room through bars now.

Governor Chase has pardoned William Gant (colored) who was sent to the penitentiary from Princeton for seven years for stealing a pair of boots. Gant has served five years of his sentence.

George DeWald & Co., have purchased the stock of hats, caps and gent's furnishings owned by Sarah A. Durfee and managed by William R. Durfee, situated at 258 Calhoun street. The store under the proprietorship, will be managed by Messrs. George DeWald, jr., E. T. Williams and Henry Lepper, all of the George DeWald & Co. dry goods house.

Loyal lodge, K. of P., elected the following officers last night for the ensuing year: P. C., Walter Lyman; C. C., Dr. Budd Van Sweringen; V. C., Howard Herring; P. M., C. Stanton; M. of A., Robert Harding; K. of R. S., Theodore Thorward; M. of F., A. A. Bunce; M. of E., John V. Ruel; trustee, W. J. Vesey; representative to grand lodge, Dr. George B. Stemen.

TOMORROW

The Same Big Values

The Same Big Assortment

OVERCOATS AND SUITS

$10 - $15 - $20

SAVE $5 to $10

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TOLL OUT THE OLD, CHIME IN THE NEW.

Before the close of the year 1917 Superintendent D. O. McComb, of the county schools, is hoping that two or three new school buildings will have been erected and ready for occupancy. He is a strong advocate of the consolidated school, because he realizes in view of experiences where such schools have been established that better results may be obtained. While there is some opposition in Allen county, it has been the experience elsewhere that after the consolidated school is inaugurated and has been operated long enough for the patrons to see the great advantages over the old one-room school, the opposition disappears, just as much of the opposition to the consolidated school in Washington township has vanished.

The year 1916 marks the best year in the history of the schools of Allen county, in the opinion of Superintendent McComb. There has been no serious epidemics and certainly no serious trouble. Real progress has been made. During the ensuing year, however, the superintendent is hopeful of surpassing the splendid record of 1916. There are at the present time 198 teachers in the schools of Allen county outside of Fort Wayne.

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City Sealer C. B. Tolan made 9,344 inspections during 1916. He condemned 1,627 pairs of scales during the year.

Tolan ordered 6,600 berry crates destroyed. These were small containers which were supposed to hold a quart of berries but which in fact held little over a pint of fruit.

Twenty-seven large vegetable crates were condemned and thirty-seven measures which had been advertised to hold a bushel.

Tolan adjusted 145 scales and rated 1,290 more as O. K.

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Detective Sergeant Joseph Brennan took Bertillon measurements of 205 persons who were sent to his department from police court in 1916. That is an average of four measurements a week during the year. Each person brought before Brennan was also "mugged," which means that they had their pictures taken.

Fifty-two of the men and women, whose physical make-up was carefully recorded, were people with former police records. Three were wanted in eastern penitentiaries. Several were deserters and parole violators. Fifteen of the total number to be registered were women.

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There is $1,608.04 in the treasury of the Fire Department Mutual Benefit association at the end of 1916. During the year $328.51 was paid out in benefits, according to the annual report of the association.

The firemen's association starts its fourth year with nearly $500 more in the treasury than at the beginning of 1915.

C. W. Winbaugh is secretary and J. Hecke treasurer of the benefit league. Auditing committee is J. J. Sullivan, W. B. Strebig and William Edsall.

Annual report in full follows:

Carried over from 1915	$1,153.63
Dues collected	736.43
Interest	46.48
Total	$1,936.55
Paid out (1914)	328.51
Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1916	$1,608.04

Sunday's Journal-Gazette for the

Greatest January Clearance Sale

In half a century of Frank's history.

Opens Tuesday, January 2nd.

Frank Dry Goods Company

Try Sentinel Want Ads.

NEW FRILLS ON NEW COATS.

(By Betty Brown.)

This new model, from the studio of Mre. Alice Bailey, Fashion Art League of America, is much simpler and more elegant than the over-trimmed coats that were launched upon us earlier in the season—a hint to us that the graceful line will be more important than fussy trimming in the first spring coats.

The coat is made in green Bolivia cloth and skunk fur trims collar, cuffs and pockets. The black braid belt with green leather trimming and novelty buttons in green and black are sufficient ornamentation for this coat with the "military air." The English hat is black patent leather trimmed with dark green novelty ribbon.

NEW OFFICERS ARE NAMED BY TWO ORDERS

Woodmen of the World and Knights of Pythias Hold Elections.

Two orders elected officers for the coming year at the annual meetings held Thursday evening. The result of the election of the Fort Wayne camp No. 129, Woodmen of the World was as follows: Past chancellor, W. D. Bitner; chancellor commander, A. C. Berger; adviser lieutenant, Fred Zickan; banker, E. R. Hines; clerk, J. H. Crummitt, ecort, William Dinnius; watchman, William Kiser; manager, three years, William Dinnius; delegates to biennial head encampment, Bloomington, Ind., J. H. Crummitt; alternate, A. C. Berger.

The Knights of Pythias elected as follows: Chancellor commander, Gail A. Baughman; vice chancellor, Charles Thompson; prelate, Lester W. Racine; master-at-arms, Paul Zentroff; inner guard, Jas. Mitchell; outer guard, Edward Dalman; master of work, W. C. Puckett; keeper of records and seals, C. K. Rieman; master of finance, L. M. Bane; master of exchequer, John C. Wenzler; trustee, Charles Kronmiller; host, William Donnel; assistant host, Lyman Lindsey; installing officer, Lyman Lindsey. C. K. Rieman was elected to his eighteenth consecutive term of office.

Inmates of St. Vincent's Orphans Home gave an entertainment Thursday evening at the Home for the members of the Knights of Columbus lodge.

WILLING WORKER'S SOCIETY.

Clothing for the worthy poor of the city to be distributed by society. All clothing leave at 1102 W. Berry St., 2nd floor. 1-1-atf

Frank's

Mightiest January Clearance Sale

Opens Tuesday, January 2nd

And Will Be Announced in Sunday's Journal-Gazette.

Watch for the Great News.

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"After Christmas" Savings For Men

"After Xmas" Special

125 Dozen MEN'S $1.00 Value SHIRTS

All new—all sizes—all kinds. Just taken from their cases and put on the bargain counter for tomorrow's selling. Every pattern good and every shirt perfect. See display in our south window tonight.

69c

Sale Starts Tomorrow

Men's, Boys' and Children's

Suits, Overcoats

And Furnishings

AT REAL SAVING PRICES FOR THE NEXT THIRTY DAYS

Lehman's CLOTHING HOUSE

808-810 CALHOUN STREET

"After Xmas" Special

55 Dozen MEN'S $1.50 and $2 SHIRTS

Plain, pleated and tucked fronts—coat style and attached cuffs—a great assortment of handsome patterns—all sizes for all men. Some of these are slightly mussed from Christmas handling. Special

79c

Sale Starts Tomorrow

Watch Our Windows Every Day "From Now Until February 1st" For Real Specials in Men's and Boys' "Better" Apparel

FIRST PICTURE OF DEAD RULER'S BODY LYING IN STATE.

This picture is the first to arrive in this country showing the body of Franz Joseph, emperor of Austria-Hungary, lying in state in Schoenbrunn Castle, Vienna. The castle was thrown open to the public and thousands of the subjects over which the dead emperor ruled so many years paid their last respects to Europe's "Man of Sorrows."

Fort Wayne Folk in Our Exchanges

Van Wert Bulletin: Miss Lucile Summers, of Fort Wayne, is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Greenewald.—Misses Maude, Florence and Marguerite Rison have returned from a visit with their sister, Mrs. Harry Lininger, in Fort Wayne.

Valparaiso Messenger: Judge Olds, of Fort Wayne, was a visitor to Valparaiso today.

Warsaw Union: Mark McGuire, of Fort Wayne, is visiting his mother and friends in Warsaw.—Miss Catherine Kratzsch and Mrs. P. F. Ditzer have returned to their home in Fort Wayne after a visit with C. R. Kratzsch.

Auburn Star: Miss Laura Rose, of South Main street, is spending several days in Fort Wayne with her brother, Judge James H. Rose and family.

Bluffton News: Miss Bessie Sale went to Fort Wayne this morning to visit a few days with Mrs. A. A. Abbott.—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Staver went home to Fort Wayne today, after spending Christmas in Bluffton with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Staver.

Hartford City News: Rev. Nicholas Keller, of St. Patrick's Catholic church in Fort Wayne, is spending a short time here visiting with her brother, Rev. John C. Keller, pastor of the Catholic church here.

Waterloo Press: Edwin Strock is at home from Fort Wayne visiting his mother, Mrs. George Frick.

Portland Sun: Miss Agnes Tiernan, of Fort Wayne, who visited with her sisters, the Misses Tiernan and her nephew, Rev. Father Travers, East Walnut street, returned home Wednesday.

Decatur Herald: At the Casper Lang home, on Fifth street, the family and Ernest Bailey, of Fort Wayne, gathered in reunion. Dr. and Mrs. Kortenbrer, of New Haven, were home and made the circle complete.

Avilla News: Mrs. F. Baum spent Christmas with her sister, Mrs. Collins Rherer and family in Fort Wayne.

Bluffton Banner: Ira Thompson, wife and two children, of Fort Wayne; Clyde Herbst, wife and son, of Liberty Center, are spending the week with the parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Thompson.—Mrs. Fred Sellers, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lafayette Mossburg, returned home to Fort Wayne last evening. Mrs. Robert Cochran, of Muncie, a sister, who has been visiting here, accompanied her to Fort Wayne for the night.

Huntington Press: Mr. and Mrs. Will Grim returned to their home in Fort Wayne Monday evening after a short visit here.—Miss Lulu Myers, of Fort Wayne, spent Christmas here.—Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Montz returned to Fort Wayne yesterday after spending a few days here.

Snowball dance, Friday night. Trier's Minuet. 28-2t

AUBURN NEWS.

Auburn, Ind., Dec. 29.—The Y. M. C. A. basket ball team will go to Warsaw, Saturday, where they will meet the team of that city. The locals defeated Warsaw in a game a few weeks ago and are hoping to repeat.

Miss Nellie Culbertson entertained a company of girl friends Tuesday evening, at which time she announced her engagement to Arlington Seydell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Seydell, of this city. Both are well known young people. The groom to be is employed by the Wildwood Builders, of Fort Wayne.

Jack Bland has been quite ill with the grip for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Dilgard and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hicks spent Christmas with the ladies' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith, of Albion.

The wedding of Miss Grace Conrad, of this city, and A. J. Eby, of Lancaster, Pa., occurred Christmas morning at the home of the bride's mother, in this city. Rev. G. E. Whitten officiated at the wedding, which was in the presence of a few friends and relatives. Miss Conrad is a teacher in the Wolf Lake schools, and Mr. Eby is superintendent of the schools. They will make their future home at Wolf Lake.

The blind tiger case against George Baltz, of this city, was continued when it came up for hearing owing to the defendant failing to put in an appearance, as did the chief witness against him.

A letter received from Mrs. Cris Shaffer-Wildy, of Royston, Georgia, states that her grandson, Arthur Rafter, aged 19 years, was drowned while out fishing. The former was a resident of this city many years and her grandson was well known here also.

Harry Richards, who travels with a theatrical company, came to this city for a few days' visit with his family.

Karl Hoff, of Indianapolis, spent Christmas with his parents in this city.

Miss Nelle Harding enjoyed several days' visit this week with Mrs. W. F. Eichelberger, of Ashland, Ohio.

Miss Thelma Grover, of Pittsburg, Pa., is spending ten days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Grover, of North Cedar street. Miss Grover is a student in the Byron King School of Oratory, at Pittsburg.

Dr. C. A. Link, of Chicago, was a Christmas guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Link, of North Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Harrison, of Kalamazoo, Mich., have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charles Crew for several days.

Miss Ada Chew, of Garrett, spent Wednesday in this city with friends.

Russel Sheets, of Dayton, Ohio, is spending the Christmas vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Sheets.

WINONA LAKE NEWS.

Winona Lake, Ind., Dec. 29.—S. Greenfield of Knox, is visiting relatives here.

Miss Carrie Clark is spending the holiday season at Evansville.

Miss LaSalle is the guest of friends at Wabash.

Newton Homer underwent an operation at the McDonald hospital at Warsaw Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Fluegel and daughters, Olive and Winifred, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Shaffer in North Manchester.

Monday evening at the Mount building a very enjoyable Christmas party was given by the faculty of Winona college of liberal arts to the students of both colleges, members of the board and others on the park. The Christmas games, Christmas music, Christmas fun and Christmas refreshments made up a very pleasant evening for the many who attended.

The board of the Winona assembly met Tuesday for a conference regarding the summer. Those who were present were: E. O. Excell, of Chicago, Dr. W. E. Biederwolf, of Chicago, W. P. Carmichael, of St. Louis, S. F. Bowser, of Fort Wayne, Dr. W. D. Varr, of Kokomo, James H. Matchext and James H. Fribley, of Bourbon, W. A. Peterson, of Chicago, Dr. Thayer of Chicago, and the following from Winona Lake: Dr. S. C. Dickey, Dr. E. S. Scapt, Dr. Milford H. Lyon, Dr. P. E. Zartman, Rev. O. A. Nembin, V. M. Hatfield, Dr. J. C. Breckenridge, Dean Lawrence, Bert Keith, Mark H. Snepp, W. D. Frazer, Dr. Barnes, Charles Butler, C. B. Killen, Postmaster George DeHoff and Rev. J. A. Gordon.

FOR SALE — Wayne Oil Tank and Pump Co. 7% preferred stock at par. C. F. Pfeiffer. 1-24-tf

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SOCIETY

The Informal dancing club and the Pi Gamma club dance are to bring the round of holiday dances to a close tonight. The Informals are to have a big affair at the Anthony hotel and the Pi Gammas are to have their annual hard times merry making in Tanner's hall. At the Anthony evening dress will be the rule, but the Pi Gamma boys and girls are to wear every day suits or even funny frocks, if they have any, and while the girls have no idea of looking anything less than pretty and charming in borrowed pinafores and aprons or in middy blouse costumes, the boys are gleefully planning to appear in soft shirts, or even sweaters, khaki costumes or whatever fancy leads them to decide upon. It must look like a hard time affair and the only place to get anything to eat will be a restaurant.

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The Da Capo club gave a fine dance last evening at the Anthony hotel and there was a general turnout of college boys and girls and others still in school, making over two hundred present. Mr. and Mrs. Perry Archer, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Puckett, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Henderson and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Archer chaperoned the young people. There was good music for dancing and out of town visitors were shown courteous attention so no one felt neglected.

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Dr. and Mrs. J. Wiley Thimlar have issued invitations to a large New Year's party which they will give at their home on South Webster street.

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Mrs. Timothy Foohey and son, James, have returned from a visit in Chicago.

Mrs. J. Wade Bailey is entertaining her sister, Miss Bertha Tyler, of Chicago.

Miss Mary Victor, of Van Wert, O., is the guest of Misses Jessie Grenameier and Evelyn Fox.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Dalman are to have as New Year's guests, Mr. and Mrs. John Dalman, of Chicago.

Mrs. Julia Lange and daughter, Miss Juliette, are planning to go to Florida, soon, to remain the rest of the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter T. Shepard and son, Cyrus, have returned from a visit 'n Newark, N. J., with relatives of Mr. Shepard.

Miss Blanche Morehouse, a student at a local business college, went to Coldwater, Mich., to spend the holidays with her parents.

Merritt W. Crosby, of St. Louis, Mo., and a former resident of Fort Wayne, is spending the holidays here with his relatives and friends.

Dr. W. D. Calvin has returned from a visit in Fairbury, Ill., but Mrs. Calvin will remain another week with relatives in Winona, Ill.

Rev. and Mrs. W. W. Daup, of Elkhart, are guests of the Misses Bellamy and Mrs. Caroline Howard and are to remain over New Year's.

Mrs. Mary Cooper, of Winona Lake, is to arrive on January 2 to visit her daughter, Mrs. Lyman K. Gould and family, of Packard avenue.

Mrs. Anna Volker gave a small theater party on Wednesday evening as a compliment to Mrs. E. H. Kirkland's niece, Miss Carina Hemple, of Chicago.

Leon J. Baker has returned to his studies at the U. S. naval academy, after a holiday visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Baker, of Old Fort place.

The engagement of Miss Lillian Wilding, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Wilding, of Forest Park boulevard, to Mr. Floyd Avis, of Hudson, Mich., was announced by Miss Pauline Saylor at a little party she gave on Thursday afternoon in honor of Miss Wilding anl her most intimate friends. Miss Wilding is a student in domestic science at Milwaukee Downer college, and she was graduated from the Fort Wayne high school in the class of '15. Mr. Avis is a college man and is engaged in the electrical manufacturing business with his father, in Hudson.

Miss Josephine Dinnen gave a tea of lovely appointment on Thursday afternoon to honor her guest, Miss Joselle Carter, of Memphis, Tenn., and her cousins, Misses Geraldine and Josephine Fleming, of New York city. The rooms were bright with holiday greens, poinsettis blossoms and roses, and the service of the tea table was elegant and expressive of the same colors. Mrs. J. M. Dilnnen received with her daughter and her guests of honor. Miss Sadie Fleming presided at the coffee. Other assisting young women were Misses Marguerite Niezer, Irene Miller, Mae Centlivre, Ethel Doud, Blanche Reuss and Charlotta McKinnie.

Miss Julia Calhoun, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Calhoun, gave a beautiful party on Friday afternoon at which she entertained fifty of her young friends. The children owned the house for a little while on the third floor round a beautiful Christmas tree, music by a victrola for dancing and lovely holiday decorations. On the first floor there were games and a luncheon that was as good as it was pretty to look at. Miss Helen Calhoun, who is visiting her uncle and aunt; Miss Margaret Saylor and Miss Bessie Freeman assisted Mrs. Calhoun in entertaining the children with games and in serving their luncheon. Everyone regretted the going home hour because everyone was having such a good time.

Master Ned Averill and his sister, Caroline, entertained many of their boy and girl friends last evening at a Christmas tree party, in the parish house of Trinity Episcopal church. The merry time began with the "howdy-dos" of the guests and music, dancing, refreshments, the beautiful Christmas tres and the many dainty favors kept every child minding his p's and q's to see that he didn't miss anything. Miss Marjorie Kilgore played for the dancing and Miss Virginia Randall directed it and helped out the bashful ones, who were afraid to try. The gayest of caps and bonnets were presented as favors, as were Santa Claus figures with hidden boxes of candy and funny toys. Everyone had a truly delightful time.

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Rea—Braddock.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Rea, who were married at the home of the bride in Tawas City, Mich., on Christmas day, have returned to this city and are at home at 1103 Columbia avenue. Mrs. Rea was Miss Rhoda Braddock, well known critic teacher in the Fort Wayne Normal school, and better known among the public school children as the lady who had charge of the school gardens. Mr. Rea is a Massachusetts man, who has lived here for several years and who is superintendent of the Dudlo Manufacturing company's plant. The wedding ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Brown, pastor of the Baptist church in Tawas City, and the wedding took place at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Braddock.

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Announce Engagement.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Dickerson announced the engagement of their daughter, Marjorie, to Vernon P. Wickliffe at a beautiful party that they gave on Tuesday afternoon at their home in Erie street. The day was also the bride-elect's twenty-first birthday anniversary. Miss Fannie Dickerson assisted her mother in entertaining and Cecil Dickerson, a brother, made the announcement. Mr. Wickliffe came here a year ago from Indianapolis, but his home is in Owensboro, Ky. He is a waiter at the Anthony hotel and both he and Miss Dickerson are superior young people in character, who are highly regarded by their many friends.

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MUSICALE IN MINUET HALL.

Boston Conservatory Students to Perform Saturday Afternoon.

Miss Ruth Gumpper, soprano, and Lloyd Grosvenor, violinist, are to assist in a pupils' program of Boston Conservatory students to be given in Minuet hall on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Fred Wentzler is piano accompanist. A social hour with Mr. Trier in charge will follow the program, which will consist of these numbers:

Robin Waltz ..... Keathley
Miss Enz.
Valse in E major..... Krogman
Mr. Brown.
Valse Grotesque ..... Heins
Miss Cooper.
Serenata ..... Macbeth
Mr. Zelbis.
Valse Caprice ..... Ever
Miss Reichelderfer.
Minuet in G major..... Mozart
Mr. Hess.
Intermezzo ..... Davis
Miss Grosvenor.
Valse Gracieuse ..... Schubert
Mr. Lockner.
By Moonlight ..... Bendel
Miss Manth.
La Irresistible ..... Dennell
Mr. Floering.
Polish Dance ..... Scharwenka
Miss Swain.
Liebesfraud ..... Kreishs
Miss Dinnius.
Intermezzo ..... Franke
Miss Metzger.
Aidde Ballet ..... Chaminade
Mr. Cooper.
Spanish Dance ..... Moszkowski
Mr. Wasmuth.
Valse in C sharp minor..... Chopin
Miss Erban.
Nachtstueck ..... Schumann
Mr. Wahrenberg.
Minuette L'Antique ..... Paderewski
Mr. Grosvenor.
Serenade ..... Raffoewski
Mr. Jantz.
Valse in D flat..... Chopin
Miss James.
Butterfly Chase ..... Argos
Etude in D minor..... Loeschner
Miss Dibble.
Stanato Etude ..... Rubinstein
Miss Goldsmith.
Octave Study No. 2..... Kullak
Miss Hieber.
"At Dawning" ..... Cadman
"Thy Evening Eyes"..... MacDowell
Miss Ruth Gumpper.
(Miss Caldwell accompanist.)
Salute E. Perth ..... Kowalski
Misses James, Dibble, Hieber and Goldsmith.

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PUPILS' RECITAL IN ELYS HALL

Emil Bouillet's Advanced Violin Pupils to Give Program

A recital by advanced pupils of Mr. Bouillet will give an interesting program in Elks hall at 8:15 this evening. Mrs. Ringold will vary the program with a reading. Miss Helene Spindler is the accompanist. The numbers:

Hauser ..... Cradle Song
Bach ..... Kleines Praeludium
Violin and Piano
Seitz .....
First Movement from Concerto in D. Major.
Iris Jones
Vogt ..... Boat Song
Gilbert Meyer
Mendelssohn ..... Spring Song
Iris Jones
MacDowell ..... Ungarish
Audrey Stickley
Brahms ..... Hungarian Dance
Myron Falk
Reading—Selected .....
.....Mrs. Selma Ringold
Allen .....Intro. et Polonaise
Lorin Brentlinger
Seebroeck ..... Menuet Antique
Seebroeck ..... Valse Brilliante
Robert Koerber, jr.
Seitz ..... Rondoin D. Major
Robert Quick
Reading—Selected .....Mrs. Ringold
Chopin ..... Trauermarch
Guonod..Soldiers' Chorus from Faust
Violins and Piano

AT THE MAJESTIC.

"The Birth of a Nation" Three Days, Starting Monday.

An event that is being looked forward to with a great deal of pleasure is the engagement in this city of D. W. Griffith's wonderful spectacle drama, "The Birth of a Nation," at the Majestic theater, which is for three days, two performances daily, the initial performanace being scheduled for New Year's matinee.

The production and its equipment comes here after a phenomenal business at the Colonial theater, Chicago. The management promises us the superb symphony orchestra of thirty picked musicians that have been engaged with this production during its long run in that city. There is no question that the score written by Carl Breil, who has written a number of praiseworthy compositions, is of the highest order and in this play his music is destined to be appreciated for a good many years to come. One of his numbers in particular, a dainty love song, marks the motif for several love passages throughout the picture. Many of the critics who have been sternest in their exaction of American dramatists announce their belief that D. W. Griffith in "The Birth of a Nation" has put over the great American play at last. The plain fact is that "The Birth of a Nation" is history. It tells of the civil war and the days of reconstruction. There is much to sadden and give pain, very much that one could wish otherwise. But it cannot be amended or blotted out and should not be. It is there and will remain forever. There is more to stimulate pride and thrill with patriotism. The valor of the blue and the gray is now a common heritage to all America. The high ideals, which actuated both sides, are generally admitted and everywhere esteemed. The fierce passion and prejudices of fifty years ago are buried, and a reunited country joys in the memories of the strife in which it was cemented into stable unity. We should know this history, all of it. We should teach it to our children in its entirety. The truth can do no harm, no matter how unpalatable it may be, and more of it is to be learned in three hours from "The Birth of a Nation" than can be gleaned in the same length of time from any other source now at command.

AT THE PALACE.

A WONDERFUL BILL

New Palace Specially Augmented Program for Week End

A bill that actually is a wonder is being dangled before the amusement hungry eyes of Fort Wayne for the remainder of the week at the New Palace. It is a specially augmented program with Miss Muriel Larimore and the Watson Twins in classic dances as the added attraction. Miss Larimore's equisite grace and charming stage presence never were more brilliantly exemplified than in the dainty little dance arrangement in which she appears at the New Palace. She does a Pavlowa number which that famous danseuse even now is presenting with remarkable success in New York. The Watson children are seen in several numbers. Then there's a mystery girl a dainty wisp of femininity who won't tell her right name dancing with Miss Larimore in one of the numbers.

Ralph Bevan and Beatrice Flint in a rowdy sort of skirt entitled "A Slight Interruption" proved the big laugh yesterday, with their tomfoolery. Bevan has a splendid singing voice too but spends most of his time in laughable monkeydoodle business. The Werner Amourous Trio have a real novelty number introducing some pillow juggling floor acrobatics and closing with a fifteen minute musicale. One of the trio does a Charley Chaplin imitation that is excrutiatingly funny. "Abe Stabibble" the pro to type of the comic strip character is introduced by Tilford the ventriloquist in a clever act in which a boy and girl help with pleasing voices. Charles Semon, the long narrow person with the funny sayings and the stiff funnier musical instruments; Robert LeRoy and Alleen Harvey in the amusing sketch "Rained In;" and the Bernivvicci Brothers in a violin specialty. "A Night in Venice" complete this remarkable program.

Swiss Canine Act

The famous Swiss Canine act, the greatest trained dog novelty number ever presented in vaudeville will be one of the features on the new bill coming to the New Palace the day before New Years to remain four days. The little canines in this act have been schooled in a series of tricks that are almost uncanny and very much unCanine.

A GRACEFUL FUR CAPE.

BY BETTY BROWN.

Why wear a coat over a stunning one-piece frock when there are lovely fur capes to wrap over your shoulders?

That a cape can have graceful folds and lines, this model from the shop of Peggy Hoyt, designer of smart apparel for smart New Yorkers, will convince you. Mole, trimmed with wolf is the odd combination of fur, and the circle of fur that tops the muff is really the mouth of a deep bag concealed in the muff.

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DECATUR NEWS.

Decatur, Ind., Dec. 29.—Miss Dreda Parent entertained the Ic-Nick club at her home last evening.

The Eastern Star had a public installation of its officers last evening. Each member brought a guest and there was a social session following the installation.

Mrs. A. L. Brentlinger has gone to Columbia City for a visit with her parents.

Mrs. Lew Hammond and daughter, Esther, were guests of their daughter and sister, Mrs. Curt Fritzinger, at Monmouth.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Fryer, who were guests of the Tom Fisher family, returned to their home at Three Rivers, Mich.

Mrs. Mat Schafer and her guest, John Reuter, of Pittsburg, went to Fort Wayne for a visit.

Mrs. Clem Voglewede and son, Cedric, spent the day in Fort Wayne.

John Mosure, auditor-elect, as administrator of the estate of his fatherin-law, Samuel Yarger, late of near Tocsin, sold his farm of 43.75 acres in Wells county to Michael Essner for $7,500.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Ramsey returned to Columbia City. They visited with the Williard Dull family and others at Willshire, O.

Mrs. James Smith and daughter, Wilma, went to Fort Wayne for a visit with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Ray Teeple, at the St. Joseph hospital. Mrs. Teeple is recovering from an operation.

Mrs. C. L. Meibers and daughter, Tonk, will leave Saturday for Toledo, O., for a visit with the John Garard and Paul Jones families over New Year's.

Dan Hoffman, of Preble township, formerly township trustee, was a business visitor here. He has recovered from a severe attack of gall stones.

Mrs. Will Kaiser, of Fort Wayne, is the guest of the U. Deininger family.

Mrs. Laura Stewart and Miss Tracy Stevens returned to Wren, O., after a visit with the Clark brothers family.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Runyon, Mr. and Mrs. Burt Wolfe attended a Belt hog sale near Bluffton.

Lawrence Archbold returned from Holland, Mich., where he has been employed by the Holland-St. Louis Sugar company.

An extremely hard artificial wood of German invention is made of sawdust and chloride of magnesium.

One of the Few New Fur Designs

BY BETTY BROWN.

Fur is vanishing from our winter apparel, still some of the most exclusive January models are fur-decorated.

This Fashion Art costume is in green chiffon broadcloth lined with gay pussy willow taffeta. The wide front panel, which so artfully conceals the opening, and the kimona sleeves are hints of styles that will be popular during the late winter. The small hat is as new as the suit. It is black hatter's plush with a perky little feather pompom to trim it.

Northern Indiana News Brevities

Four youths were fined $1 and costs in the circuit court at Auburn by Judge Link for rifling a rural mail box near Corunna, early in December. The boys confessed to the job and claimed Cleveland, Ohio, as their homes.

Miss Clara Forbes, mezzo soprano and Clyde Fanning, bass baritone, will give a recital at Stroh New Year's evening under the direction of their instructor, Charles F. Barr.

Twelve petitions asking congress to place an embargo on foodstuffs are being circulated in Goshen and will soon be forwarded to Washington.

Garrett Methodists will have a watch party Sunday night.

Banks at Kendallville report that they have had the biggest business in their history during the past year.

Grocers at Columbia City have signed an agreement to abolish all treating.

Warsaw will be headquarters for Captain O. B. Kilmer's machine gun company of the Third regiment, I. N. G.

A romance of England culminated at Valparaiso when James E. Lucas, bookkeeper for the Oliver Chilled Plow company, of South Bend, married Miss Edith Petty, of Victoria, B. C.

The Belford Troupe, of Kendallville, famous acrobats, have gone into vaudeville being with the W. H. (Rube) Wilkins show. These performers have been with Ringling Bros., and other big circuses. They are rated as top notchers.

CHURUBUSCO COUPLE WED

Hillsdale, Mich., Dec. 29.—Miss Amanda E. Claxton, of Churubusco, and Weldon M. Bumgerdner, a railroad clerk of the same place, were married here the forepart of the week. They will make their future home in Churubusco.

Beginners' dancing class forms Wednesday, 8 p. m. Trier's Minuet. 29-4t

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BY DR. ARTHUR SELWYN-BROWN
(Famous American Financial Authority.)

No country in all world history ever experienced anything approaching the prosperity of the United States during the past year.

DR. SELWYN-BROWN

The old year leaves us absolutely the wealthiest nation in the world, with a prosperity which measured in dollars and cents is colossal.

It should be remembered we have the greatest resources in raw materials, largest manufacturing plants, most extensive railroad and shipping facilities, and the greatest financial power.

During the war we undertook the bulk of manufacturing for both neutrals and belligerents.

Our exports this year were just a little under $3,000,000,000 as compared with $1,981,000,000 in 1915. In 1916 we imported $2,282,400,000 worth of goods as compared with $936,500,000 worth in 1915.

Our foreign commerce statistics show this trade expansion has extended to all parts of the world and we are now establishing permanent connections that will insure continued enjoyment of this large share in world commerce.

To have a healthy foreign commerce we must have efficient banking and financial facilities. We have provided these. American banks in 1916 established branches or agencies throughout the world. They invested over $200,000,000 in industrial plants in Russia, $60,000,000 in China, $150,000,000 in South America, and $200,000,000 in Canada, making the total of their Canadian investments $1,000,000,000. Our total investments in Europe, Asia, Central and South America have now reached about $10,000,000,000.

The industrial activity of any important manufacturing community is accurately reflected by pig iron statistics and bank clearings. Our pig iron production averaged 3,200,000 tons per month throughout 1916, a production about 70 per cent above normal.

Bank clearings in 27 of the principal cities averaged above $6,000,000,000 per week as compared with $4,300,000,000 a year ago. The total clearings this year were $243,865,000,000, and $174,991,000,000 in 1915. Our banking transactions increased 39 per cent.

The bank clearings indicate prosperity is being enjoyed from coast to coast.

Employes in most of the basic industries and largest industrial companies have received higher wages or bonuses. The average wage increase in eastern states amounted to 30 per cent compared with 1915, and 49 per cent with 1914.

Immense purchases of automobiles and other luxuries by farmers prove the year has been a precious one for them. While crops have not been so large, high prices made up for the slight decrease in quantity.

The corn crop was valued at $2,295,000,000 as compared with $1,755,000,000 in 1915. This year's wheat amounted in value to $1,025,000,000 as compared with $930,000,000 a year ago. The total value of our crops in 1916 was $6,375,000,000, as against $5,690,000,000 in 1915.

The enormous business done in 1916 required immense investments. New capital issues amounted to $3,704,000,000 as compared with $2,800,000,000 in the previous year.

The year's issue included $1,381,000,000 loaned to foreign governments, compared with $1,275,000,000 in 1915. In the past two years we have loaned foreign interest over $3,240,000,000. This money carries high interest and will be a source of income to us for some years.

Activities on the investment market are reflected in the returns of the New York stock exchange. These show a value of $1,629,300,000 in 1916, as compared with $1,097,100,000 in 1915—an increase of nearly 49 per cent.

Many new industries were established to make goods formerly supplied by European countries. Many chemical and metallurgical industries of permanent value were developed.

A great dye industry sprang up. We are now independent of Germany in dyes.

Our zinc and copper plants were enlarged, and all the metals, alloys and chemicals required in making munitions were made within the United States.

All these new and valuable industries will contribute to make us more than ever a self-contained and self-supporting nation.

Though we have been long negligent of our shipping, our merchants have taken advantage of the war to build a great mercantile marine. There are now 26,444 ships of 8,470,946 gross tons on the American shipping registry. Our ship yards built in 1916, 937 vessels of a gross tonnage of 325,414 tons, as compared with 1,157 vessels, of 225,122 tons, in 1915. Our ship yards are now engaged in building 500 steel steamers aggregating 1,500,000 tons. Most of the yards are working three shifts per day to turn out these ships speedily.

The railroads have naturally shared in the bountiful prosperity. There was little new construction, but large sums were expended in betterments. Gross earnings increased throughout the country.

Foreign commerce is largely carried on by means of credit. It is therefore impossible to express in concrete terms the exact value of our annual trading profit. It is indicated perhaps in a relative manner, by our gold reserves, as these form the basis of all commercial credits.

The present stock of gold in the United States is valued at $2,715,000,000, as compared with $2,066,732,135 in December, 1915. This increase in our gold stocks will easily support four times its amount of business credit. The increase in the deposits of banks and saving institutions shows that all classes in the community have shared in the golden flood.

In the 8,406 postal savings banks 660,000 persons have accounts amounting to $108,500,000 standing to their credit. This is nearly 50 per cent more than last years returns indicated.

This property review for 1916 does not complete the story. Our wealth is intact, our mills full of work and there is an unlimited demand.

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The day of the Croup scare is over for those parents who wisely keep Foley's Honey and Tar Compound in the home ready for instant use.

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Of Interest to Married Women.

Most married women look after the health of their families and almost every woman can do so to advantage. Mrs. William Flaherty, Skaneateles, N. Y., writes, "My husband used two bottles of Chamberlain's Tablets last winter when he was suffering from indigestion and biliousness. These tablets relieved him right away and by continuing them for a few weeks his digestion was strengthened and general health improved." Obtainable everywhere.—Advertisement.

KENDALLVILLE NEWS

Kendallville, Ind., Dec. 29.—Word of the death of Mrs. Tillie Powell was received here Wednesday evening. Mrs. Powell, wife of Theodore Powell, died at her home in Cedar Springs, Mich., after a week's illness, death resulting from pneumonia. She was 37 years of age and was born near Helmer and was the daughter of William Krehl, of this city, who is now in Florida. Surviving relatives include the husband, two children, the father, three brothers and a sister, Mrs. Walter Mertz, of Fairfield Center. The body will be brought here for burial.

Mrs. R. O. Sinclair, of Chicago, went to Ligonier Thursday after visiting Capt. J. R. Smith and wife.

Mrs. Elizabeth Adams has returned to Chicago after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Martin Marsh and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Kraner and children, of Mishawaka, and Mr. and Mrs. Archie Kimmel, of Fort Wayne, were the guests of their mother, Mrs. Mary Kraner, and family over Christmas.

Miss Bertha Hoffmeyer returned to Elkhart Tuesday evening after spending Christmas with her mother, Mrs. Amelia Hoffmeyer, and other relatives.

Mrs. F. C. Hardy and son, Flint, are visiting relatives in Allegan, Mich.

Miss June Crawford, who is teaching in the schools at Hartford City, is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Crawford.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Mountz, of Garrett, and Charles Osborne, of Indianapolis, spent Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Osborne.

Mrs. Roselda Halsinger, Mrs. Gertrude Blaney and Mrs. Josephine Glosser were visitors in Fort Wayne Wednesday and called on their brother-in-law, G. P. Alexander, who is a patient at the Lutheran hospital.

Prof. Henry Rumpf and family, of Leo, Ind., are spending the week with Mr. Rumpf's mother, Mrs. Linderman, Richmond street.

Robert Brennan attended the Qui Vive dance at the Anthony hotel, Fort Wayne, Wednesday.

Rev. I. W. Smith, who has a charge at Pennville, Ind., is visiting his family this week.

Miss Laura Cuffell has closed her millinery store and will visit relatives and friends in Warsaw during January.

C. C. Beyer transacted business in Goshen Wednesday.

Ralph Field, of Cincinnati, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Field.

Mrs. E. A. Schafer has returned to her home in Laporte after spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Wilson. Miss Pearl Mason accompanied her home for a week-end visit.

Mrs. Blanche Culp, of Red Lake, Minn., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Jack Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stone, of Detroit, who have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. McNair, went to Fort Wayne Thursday to visit relatives and friends.

Miss Martha Chaffee has returned from a several months' visit with relatives at Memphis, Tenn., and other southern points.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Barron and son, Robert, of Chicago, are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Barron, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Kaiser are visiting the latter's mother, Mrs. Williams, at Lima, O.

Mr. and Mrs. Earle Johnston have returned to their home in St. Louis, Mo., after visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Johnston, over Christmas.

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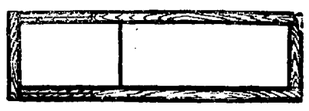

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$19.50 For former $25.00 to $29.50 Velveteen and fancy Plush Coats, elaborately fur trimmed.

$25.00 For Salt's Plush Coats with guaranteed lining; some fur trimmed, formerly to $42.50.

1-3 Off On all high grade Seal Plush Coats that formerly sold from $45.00 to $100.00.

CLOTH COATS

Exclusive elegant Cloth Coats, luxuriously lined and interlined; former $35.00 to $42.50 High Grade Cloth Coats at **$25.00**

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A Wonderful Sale of Dresses

Values to $30.00

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Crepe de Chine, Taffeta, Georgette and combinations of Georgette and Crepe de Chine in so many new styles and effects that only a personal inspection could convince you what wonderful values they are at such a low price.

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Former $39.50 to $45.00; handsome Cloth or Velveteen Suits **$15.00**

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Former Prices

End-of-the-Year Sale of Corsets And Brassieres

—Broken lines of our best makes of Corsets and Brassieres in three lots:

Regular $1.00 values 79c
Regular $1.25 and $1.50 values 98c
Regular $2.00 values $1.48

—Brassieres in large and small sizes only (no in-betweens); hook front or cross back style; lace or embroidery trimmed—

21c, 39c, 79c

CORN SHOW HELD.

Washington Township Farmers Put on Exhibit at Washington School.

Under the auspices of the Washington Township Boys' and Girls' club a corn show was given on Thursday at the Lincoln school. Yellow, white and mixed corn together with an exhibit of shelled corn was entered.

For the various varieties of yellow corn the awards were as follows: First, George Stolte, second, Paul Fortmeyer, and third, Henry Fortmeyer. In the class for the best ten ears of white corn, Fred Schimmoller was the winner. Henry Stolte took first prize in the class for mixed corn, Robert Heinck received second and William Miner third. George Stolte was winner in the class for the champion single ear.

In the bushel contest George Stolte with a percentage of 88.37 was first. His bushel of unshelled corn, sixty-eight pounds, weighed sixty and one-fourth pounds after shelling. William Bieneke was second with a percentage of 85.29 and Willmer Racien third with a percentage of 84.93.

William Miner won first honors in the garden products contest. He had seventeen varieties.

Catching Cold.

Colds are due to a neglected skin and lack of ventilation in the sleeping room. People who take a cool sponge bath every morning before breakfast seldom take cold. When you do take cold get rid of it as quickly as possible. This is best accomplished by taking Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. This is an old time tried remedy that can be relied upon with implicit confidence. Obtainable everywhere.—Advertisement.

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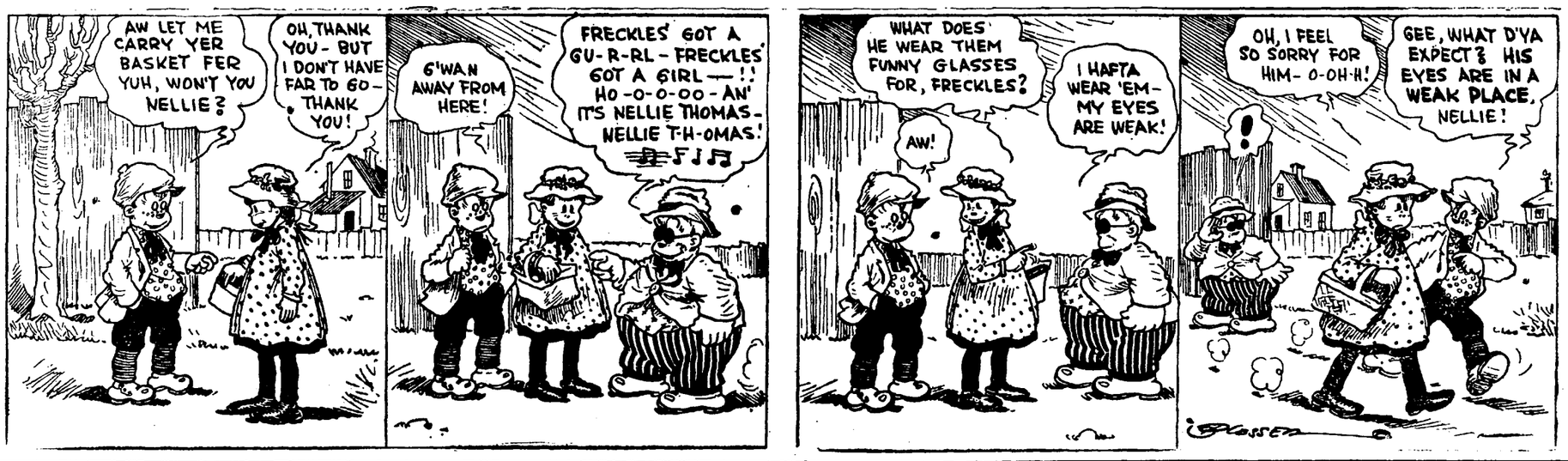
FRECKLES WILL SAY ANYTHING IN A FIT OF JEALOUSY.

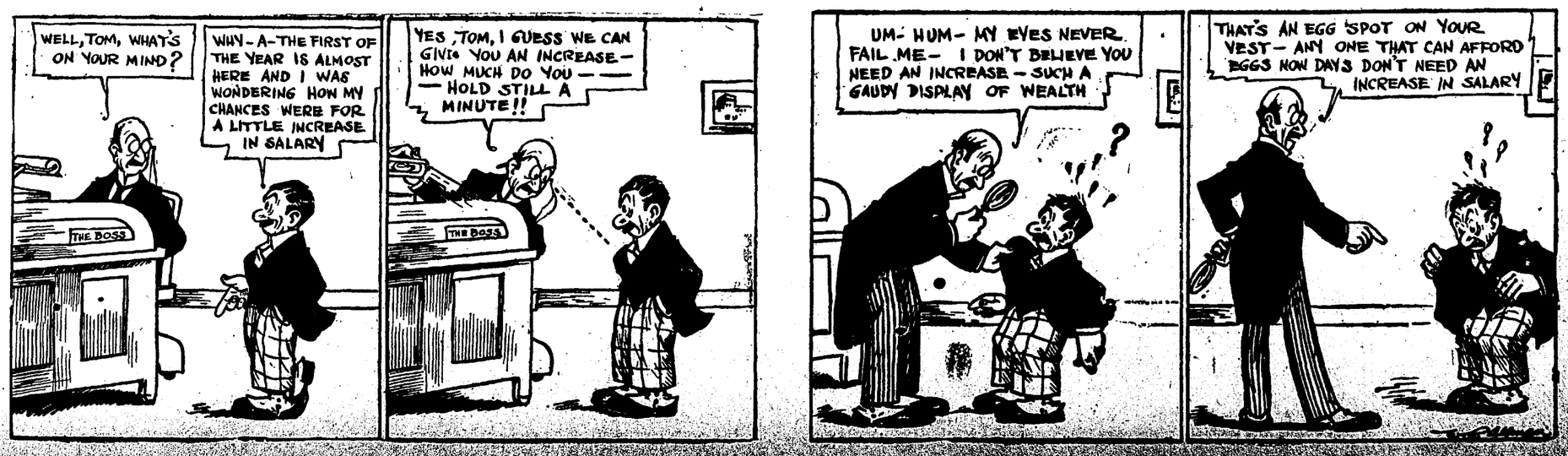
By Blosser


AW LET ME CARRY YER BASKET FER YUH, WON'T YOU NELLIE?
OH, THANK YOU - BUT I DON'T HAVE FAR TO GO - THANK YOU!
G'WAN AWAY FROM HERE!
FRECKLES' GOT A GU-R-RL - FRECKLES' GOT A GIRL —!! HO-O-O-OO-AN' IT'S NELLIE THOMAS - NELLIE T-H-OMAS!
WHAT DOES HE WEAR THEM FUNNY GLASSES FOR, FRECKLES?
AW!
I HAFTA WEAR 'EM - MY EYES ARE WEAK!
OH, I FEEL SO SORRY FOR HIM - O-OH-H!
GEE, WHAT D'YA EXPECT? HIS EYES ARE IN A WEAK PLACE, NELLIE!
BLOSSER

DOINGS OF THE DUFFS

TOM MUST BE A SPENDTHRIFT.

By Allman


WELL, TOM, WHAT'S ON YOUR MIND?
WHY - A - THE FIRST OF THE YEAR IS ALMOST HERE AND I WAS WONDERING HOW MY CHANCES WERE FOR A LITTLE INCREASE IN SALARY
THE BOSS
YES, TOM, I GUESS WE CAN GIVE YOU AN INCREASE - HOW MUCH DO YOU — — — HOLD STILL A MINUTE!!
THE BOSS
UM - HUM - MY EYES NEVER FAIL ME - I DON'T BELIEVE YOU NEED AN INCREASE - SUCH A GAUDY DISPLAY OF WEALTH
?
THAT'S AN EGG SPOT ON YOUR VEST - ANY ONE THAT CAN AFFORD EGGS NOW DAYS DON'T NEED AN INCREASE IN SALARY
?
ALLMAN

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LATEST NEWS

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COMMERCIAL CLUB PLANNING FOR 1917

Much Civic Good Accomplished During Year About Closed.

C. L. Biederwolf, secretary of the Commercial club, is closing up the year's business and arranging a schedule of the work to be done by the club during the year 1917. The past year has been one full of achievement in a civic way and it is hoped to make the coming year produce greater results.

During the past year the Commercial club has encouraged the city planning exhibit, boosted the convention hall project, taken a prominent interest in the St. Joe river dam improvement, and worked for better highways by participation in tours of various kinds. The convention hall proposition was possibly the best single civic activity to which the support of the Commercial club was given and that building proposition went through at a vote by a large majority.

Van B. Perrine, president of the Commercial club, is working with the club's secretary and planning the year's program.

URGES INTEREST IN WARD HISTORIC TOUR

Commercial Club Directors Sought for Meeting to Consider Plan.

Lee C. Ward, director of Ward's Historic Tour, which extends over the Lincoln and National highways in the states of Indiana, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Illinois, New York, Virginia, West Virginia and Maryland, has written Charles L. Biederwolf, secretary of the Commercial club, asking for a meeting of the board of directors of the club, either on January 4, 5 or 6, or January 12 and 13.

"This tour," says a letter from the Historic Tour bureau, Washington, Pa., "is a medium for the co-operation of commercial organizations in towns along the two highways, through national advertising and the wide distribution of the historic tour books." There is much scenery of historic interest along the two highways. The book which the Ward Historic Tour bureau proposes to put out would correspond to the Blue Book guide in many ways.

HOLD-UP AT A DICE GAME.

New York Fur Salesman is Fatally Shot at St. Louis.

St. Louis, Dec. 29.—Everett Inge, 31, salesman for a New York fur company, was shot and probably fatally wounded by one of two men who held up a dice game in a theater building here early today. Inge and two other men were playing when the robbers entered and asked to "shoot a quarter." When ordered to throw up his hands, Inge started to run and was shot by one of the robbers. Both hold-up men escaped.

ODD FELLOWS MEET.

Last Meeting in Old Hall Held by Harmony Lodge Thursday Night.

The last meeting in the old hall on West Berry street of Harmony lodge, No. 19, I. O. O. F., was held Thursday night, a social session being a feature and no degree work put on. Cyrus and Charles Fairfield and James Liggett, members who took their degrees in the old hall, were guests of honor. Harmony lodge, No. 19, will temporarily take quarters in Machinists' hall until their new home is completed.

SUCCUMBS TO PNEUMONIA.

Ottawa, Ont., Dec. 29.—Thomas Casegrain, postmaster general of Canada, died of pneumonia here today. He was born in Detroit in 1852. For many years he was one of the dominion's leading lawyers and was a statesman.

WILL MARK HISTORIC SPOT.

New York, Dec. 29.—The spot on the heights, Weehawken, N. J., where Alexander Hamilton fell in a duel with Aaron Burr, will be marked by a memorial to be erected by the Alexander Hamilton institute, it was announced today.

WILL INDICT NOBODY

New York, Dec. 29.—The federal grand jury which has heard a large amount of evidence in connection with the high cost of living is to conclude its sessions to-day and will be discharged. No indictments will be returned according to U. S. district attorney, Charles F. Clyne.

MAY SAVE EYE SIGHT

Robert Edington, of Decatur, who is a patient at the St. Joseph hospital, for treatment for his eye, which was pierced by a large sliver of steel, spent the forepart of the week at home. The doctors have some hopes of saving the sight of the eye. He was injured while chiseling a piece of steel from an old engine at the Decatur power plant, which he was taking apart preparatory to moving.

GIVE $5,000 FOR POOR.

Elkhart, Ind., Dec. 29.—W. H. Foster has contributed $5,000 toward a fund for the relief of the unfortunates in this city during the winter. He has also guaranteed to raise $5,000 additional among the business men of the city.

MENDING OF SEWER WILL TAKE WEEKS

Rise in River Fills Full Length of Interceptor With Water.

City officials are hoping for cold weather.

Zero temperature would knit up the small bodies of water and stop the rise in the St. Mary's river. The river has come up three feet in the past two days. It has backed up into the big interceptor and filled the sewer line from end to end. The sewer cannot be repaired, at the point where it caved in, near the Central foundry, until a part of the water is removed from the five foot tube.

The two story, brick foundry building, whose walls were cracked Thursday, when ground about the foundation of the structure had given way, is reasonably insured against collapse. Heavy base of timbers has been forced under the foundation at the point near the crater. Engineers think the building will be held solid against collapse.

The frame store house, which stood directly over the crumbling earth of the cave in, is upheld by a net work of stilts. It will be moved away from the aperture until after repairs are made to the interceptor.

Work of preparing for the repairs started yesterday. City laborers, under Street Superintendent Strodel, began digging away the loose earth of the crater, above the hole in the sewer. An open shaft will be constructed from the ground surface to the sewer top, thirty feet below, so that work can be carried on in safty.

But actual repairs of the big, brick walled, interceptor cannot go on until the water is out of the sewer. It will be necessary to wall up the west mouth of the tunnel, where it is entered by the St. Mary's river, between Berry and Wilson streets. When the sewer is drained the earth from the cave-in will be removed and mending of the wall started.

PLAY NEW GAME.

Firemen Growing Dexterous in the Use of Rubber Rings.

"Atta boy, Jarvis."
"Good eye, Jim."
"Come on you George."

These were a few of the excited and high pitched exclamations which issued from behind the formable walls of the central fire station Thursday.

Passers-bye were not sure whether it was a basket ball game, indoor base ball, bowling or even a foot race which might be on the firemen's home. It was none of these. A novedty company had presented the firemen with a new game called pussy foot. Apparatus for playing the game consists of a large board, from which protrudes wire hooks. Below the hooks are numbers. The firemen stand back twenty pace and throw rubber bands, which look much like the rings that mother placed on self-sealer cans, at the numbered board.

Some of the men miss the entire board when they toss the rings. The orbs are lighter than horse shoes you see. But by Thursday evening the men could nearly always strike number three when they threw at number seven.

One or two of the men expect to gain skill when they go home by tossing chunks of coal into the stove, through the opened stove door, from a point across the room. Anyway the new game is good for lungs and keys up nerves until a mere fire is a mild event.

LUCKY BOYS.

City Light Department is Paying Only Eighty-five Cents Per Ton.

The city light department pays eighty-five cents a ton for the coal which drives the steam into its boilers.

This is $3 per ton less than most of the large concerns are paying for the black mineral. Henry M. Zauner, chief engineer of fthe dight department, is receiving credit for the lucky buy, which has furnished plenty of coal to the light department, even in car shortage times.

Zauner caused a contract to be signed with a coal company in Indianapolis, last April, for the eighty-five cent coal. The fuel comes from southern Indiana. A car and a half of coal is used every day by the city plant. Coal for a month ahead has been stored in the big bunkers, near Lawton park, in anticipation of car shortage or other commercial disorder.

All The Comfort

Strings of electric lights will encircle the lake in Reservoir park to light the way of night skaters. The lights are being installed, Friday. Patrolman on that beat has been instructed to turn the lights on at 6:30 each evening and to extinguish them at 10:30. When the lights flicker out it is the mild "good night" to skaters.

Thousands have been whizzing over the several park lakes during the holidays. The ice is smooth and absolutely safe, Park Superintendent Getz announces. Lakeside park lagoons are in perfect condition for skating.

To Save Electricity

Nitrogen lamp lights are being installed at street intersections in the south end. The new lights will take the place of the sputtering arc lamps which have hung above the corners for years. The new lamps are power savers. They make the same light on 300 watts of electricity as the arc lights show with 360 watts.

Get Their Pay

City firemen and policemen will have another pay day on Saturday. Ordinarily they would not be paid until the first of the month. But they want to face the new year with a pocket full of money. Only that is not the reason why they are paid now. The city controller wants to have his books all balanced up by the first of the year and that little item is a part of this year's business.

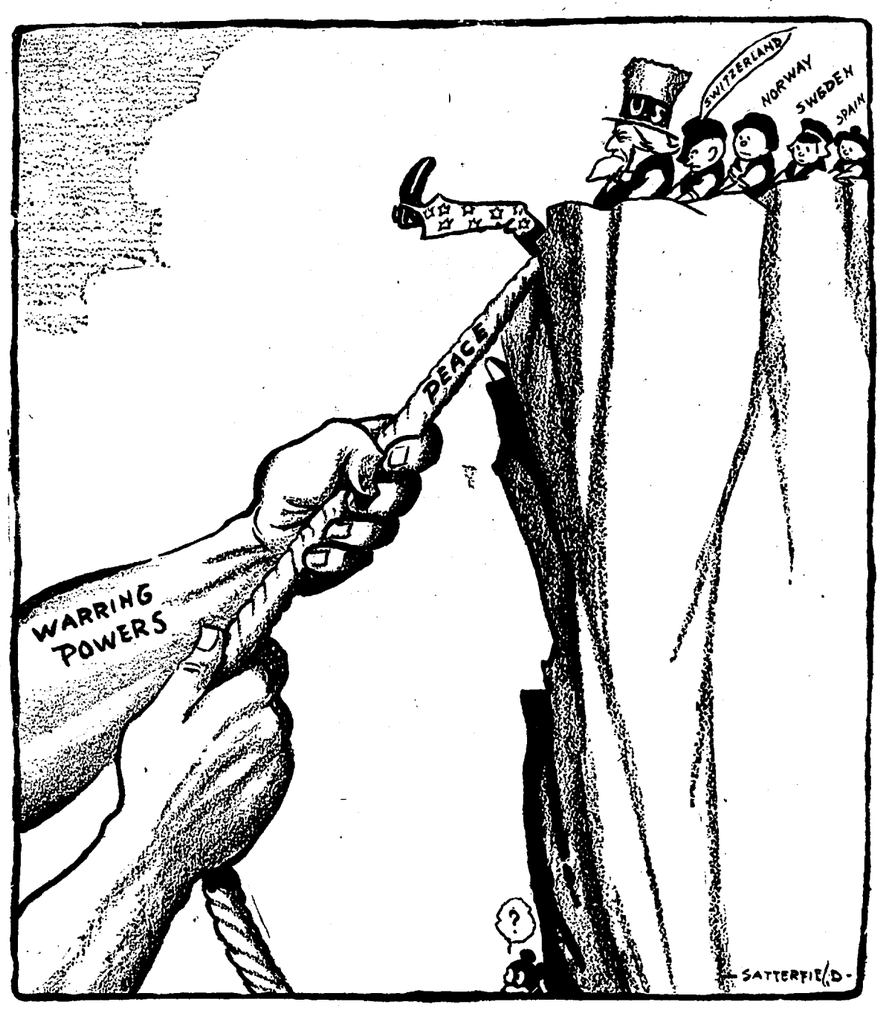
Hauling Cinders

Park workmen are hauling cinders on Anthony boulevard, south of Pontiac, this week. They have placed cinders along the drive way for more than a half mile during the past three weeks.

BIRTH RECORD

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John B. Fowler, 2534 Warsaw street—a girl.

THE TUG OF WAR!



TWO GO TO PRISON BY JUDGE'S RULING

James Collins and John Betley Given Terms in State Prison.

James Collins, charged with burglary, was sentenced to from two to fourteen years in the state prison, and John Betley, held for grand larceny, was given from one to fourteen years in the same institution by Judge Eggemann in circuit court Friday. George Bridgewater, charged with petit larceny, was fined $1 and sentenced to 90 days on the penal farm.

Collins entered the plant of the B. & B. Knitting company on November 27, stealing sweaters. Betley stole $60 from the Meyer Brothers' drug store last August. Bridgewater took chilli con carni valued at $10 from the Centlivre hotel in November.

To Foreclose Lien.

The Carmichael Gravel company, of Warren, has filed suit against the General Electric company, Wells Brothers and the Fort Wayne Electric works to foreclose a lien and for judgment of $6,500, it being alleged Wells Brothers, a contracting firm of Illinois, purchased of the plaintiff materials which it used in the construction of buildings for the General Electric company in Fort Wayne. H. E. Billings and Vesey & Vesey are attorneys for the plaintiff.

Petition in Bankruptcy.

Richard I. Evans, secretary of the Evans Coal company, has filed a petition in bankruptcy in the United States district court, listing assets of $93 and liabilitiesh of $2,444.45.

Says Husband Gambled.

Bessie Green has filed suit for divorce against Clarence Green in the superior court. The couple were married April 23, 1910, and separated May 5, 1916. The defendant is charged with failure to provide a home; with drunkenness, with associating and with being a gambler. Green, on one occasion, it is alleged, told her he would give her $50 and all the household goods if she would get a divorce. Alimony of $1,000 is asked in addition to a divorce. Snouffer & Sherrod are attorneys for the plaintiff.

Non-Support Alleged.

Cruelty, profanity and non-support are alleged in a divorce suit filed by Katie Bonn against Alfred Bonn. The couple were married in 1912 and separated in January, 1913. Custody of a four-year-old boy is asked. Emrick & Emrick are attorneys for the plaintiff.

Certifies Ownership.

The Fort Wayne Drug company has certified to the court that it is owner of the business known as the Hoosier Paint works and that the Hoosier Paint works is the trade name of the manufacturing department of the drug company.

Found for Defendant.

A jury in the superior court Thursday night returned a verdict for the defendant in the case of Benjamin Bogue, director of a school for stammering at Indianapolis, against Fred Harrison Fosnaugh to collect $150 on note, alleged given in payment of the tuition of a son of the defendant at the school. The jury was out eight hours.

Suit for $2,000 Damages.

Damages of $2,000 are asked in a suit of Peter Hausch, by his next friend, George Hausch, against Wayne Spoke & Bending company, it being alleged the plaintiff, aged 7, had both legs above the ankle broken when an iron truck on the premises of the defendant fell on him. Negligence of the defendant is charged in allowing the truck in a place where children of the locality were accustomed to play. Howard Benninghoff is attorney for the plaintiff.

What They Will Do.

As the time nears for several of the present county officials to leave office, announcements are made as to the business which they will enter. A. C. Gladieux, sheriff, will be connected with the Wayne Health & Accident Insurance company. Henry Branning, deputy sheriff, will take employment with the Peoples Trust & Savings company. Albert J. Black, county commissioner, will enter the firm of Clausmeyer & Black, dealers in farm implements and tile. Allen Hursh, recorder, will do a notary business and also oculist's work.

Verdict for the Defendant

A jury in the circuit court at Bluffton Thursday afternoon returned a verdict for the defendant in the suit on contract of Alfred H. Humphrey against Henry Franke, tried at Bluffton on change of venue from the Allen circuit court. The complaint asked $600 for a shipment of lumber, but the defendant alleged the lumber was not according to contract.

Notes of the Courts.

J. Fred France, clerk of the Indiana supreme court, was in Fort Wayne Thursday calling on friends.

The suit of Bessie Green against Jessie Green, for a divorce, has been dismissed in the superior court.

John Lanternier, chief deputy in the office of the county clerk, who has resigned, entertained members of the clerk's force of the office Thursday night at his home.

A final report has been filed by John M. Kuhns, eexecutor of the estate of Charlotte Moritz.

Loretta M. Meads has been granted a divorce in superior court from Fred A. Meads and the custody of a daughter. Meads is ordered by the court to contribute $9 a month support money.

Employment Bureau Report.

The report of the Fort Wayne branch of the state free employment bureau for the week ending December 28, shows that eighteen males sought work and that all were found positions. Nineteen persons applied to the bureau for male help. For the last quarter, which closes December 31, 678 males sought employment and 646 were found work. A total of 784 persons asked the bureau during the quarter to find them male help. Eight females asked the bureau for work during the week and all were placed in positions. Eleven persons asked the employment agency to find them female help. For the quarter 103 women sought work and 92 were found jobs. A total of 144 persons asked the bureau to find them female help. L. S. C. Schroeder, director of the bureau for the last five years, will retire from office January 2 after a most efficient service.

Marriage Licenses.

Bert C. Heller, 32, broker, and Ruth I. Huffman, 26.

Karl G. Rase, 29, Pennsylvania helper, and Elizabeth Werner, 33, city.

Air Bubbles and Sand Give Water Its Milky Appearance

Residents in the west and south parts of the city have made many complaints about city water appearing milky during the past two weeks. The water is filled with white bubbles and in some cases seem to hold rust particles.

Engineers of the waterworks department have tried hard to remedy the condition, they say. Air in the big lines is responsible for much of the trouble they give out. Leaky valves may cause this, they say. The air and water mixture makes the water appear white, but the water clears upon standing. Complete overhauling of the big engines and main feed pipe will remedy at least part of the trouble.

Fact that No. 2 pumping station has experienced much engine trouble of late is partly to blame, it is said. The station has been shut down for repairs a part of the time. The water system is disorganized when the No. 2 station is stilled and the other two houses forced to pump all water supplied.

Sand from the deep water wells also creeps into the main lines at times. Chemistry of the hard water itself aids in producing the roily effect, it is given out.

But the water is not unhealthy, even now, when it is the most roily in several months. Report just received from the chemist says the water is satisfactory from a health standpoint. J. W. Diggs, of Indianapolis, has been making careful analysis of the water every week for the past three months. There is absolutely no danger of disease from the city water, he says.

FT. WAYNE SOLDIERS ARE KEPT ON THE JOB

More Indiana Troops Quit Llano Grande Camp for Return Northward.

San Antonio, Texas. Dec. 29.—Several Indiana organizations recently ordered released from border service will leave Llano Grande today for Fort Benjamin Harrison, the movement including the first battalion field artillery (less battery D); signal and ambulance companies, and field hospital. The second New York field artillery also will start home from McAllen today. Illinois and Wisconsin National Guard organizations also departed for their homes today.

The largest return movement still to be made is that of Pennsylvania troops at El Paso. None of these organizations designated to go home will start until after January 1.

TEMPERANCE WORKERS

A meeting of the Allen County Dry Federation was scheduled for the public library, second floor, Friday afternoon. This meeting was to consider the success with which petitions to aid the cause of a dry state were being circulated over Allen County. More than 15,000 of these petitions have been placed in circulation. Members of the Women's Christian Temperance Union are co-operating with the [illegible]

SMALL WANTED BIG LIFE RISK POLICY

Sought Joint Insurance on Wife, Says Witness at Murder Trial.

Ossipee, N. H., Dec. 29.—The plan of Frederick L. Small on trial here for the murder of his wife, Mrs. Florence A. Small, at their home in Mountain View to obtain an insurance policy for $20,000 covering the lives of both was the subject of the first testimony at today's session. Winfield S. Chase, formerly an insurance agent told of a talk with Small regarding such a policy but said it was not issued.

Charles E. Merritt, general agent of another insurance company said that a $20,000 joint policy on the lives of Small and his wife had been issued by his company. On March 13 Small paid the first annual premium of $1,107.80. The policy, Merritt testified was payable to the survivor, or if both should die, to Small's nephew, Nathaniel M. Mitchell. On cross examination Merritt said Mrs. Small was in an adjoining room when the policy was discussed and took no part in the conversation.

THE DEATHS.

ERWIN.

William K. Erwin, son of the late Richard K. Erwin, residing six miles west of the city, on the old Erwin homestead, died Thursday night at the Hope hospital. Death was due to blood poisoning which developed from a minor injury. He was removed to the hospital two weeks ago and since that time his condition has been serious. His brothers and sisters and members of his immediate family had been at his bedside continually. Mr. Erwin was a member of Harmony lodge, No. 19, I. O. O. F. and was a man of excellent character whose friends and acquaintances were many. Besides the widow he is survived by a son, Harold; the aged mother, four sisters, Mrs. J. S. Bird, of Angola; Mrs. J. C. Murchland, of Monroeville; Mrs. N. B. Kennedy, and Mrs. E. E. Wilkinson, and three brothers, R. K. Erwin, jr., D. F. Erwin and James S. Erwin, of Fort Wayne. He was a cousin of Judge R. K. Erwin, of the state supreme court.

The remains were removed to the residence of a brother, James Erwin, 901 Third street. Funeral services Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the residence, Rev. D. H. Guild officiating. Harmony lodge No. 19, I. O. O. F., will have charge of the services at Lindenwood.

KIRCHEFER.

Word was received this morning by Fort Wayne friends of the death on December 28, in Denver, Col., of Mrs. Ida Kirchefer, after a long illness from pulmonary tuberculosis. Mrs. Kirchefer lived in Fort Wayne a number of years and was identified with the congregation of Plymouth church, of which she was a member. No relatives survive in this city, but there are two sons in the west. The Daughters of Rebekah have charge of the funeral, which will be held on Saturday.

SOUTHERN.

Mrs. Margaret Southern, a former resident of Fort Wayne, died a few days ago at an Indianapolis hospital, where she had undergone an operation. She was the wife of William Southern, who was also a former resident of this city. The body passed through Fort Wayne Thursday afternoon enroute to Lima, Ohio.

EITER.

John H. Eiter, aged 33 years, died Thursday night at St. Joseph's hospital following an illness of several years. Death was due to progressive muscular atrophy. The deceased had been bedfast since last September. He was born in this city and attended the St. Patrick's school. He was united in marriage to Miss Cora Wilcox in 1907. For sixteen years he was a merchant at Wabash. He was a member of the Machinists' union and the Ben Hurs. Surviving he leaves the widow and three children—Kenneth, Virginia and Lyle; the father, Henry Eiter, sr.; one sister, Mrs. Fred Ban, of Celina, Ohio, and two brothers, Henry and Robert, of this city. He resided at 838 West DeWald street. The Ben Hurs will hold services at the residence Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

FUNERAL SERVICES.

Hauschild.—Funeral services for Henry Hauschild will be held Saturday morning at 2 o'clock from Klaehn & Melching chapel, Rev. G. W. F. Doege officiating. Interment at Concordia. Services will be private, but friends may view the remains until Saturday noon.

Boegel.—Funeral services for Mrs. Elizabeth Boegel will be held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the residence, 915 Horace street, and at 2:30 o'clock at St. John Reformed church, Rev. J. T. Bosch officiating. Interment at Lindenwood.

Hankens.—Funeral services for Mrs. Clara Hankens will be held Saturday morning at 8:30 o'clock at the residence, 445 East Suttenfield street and at nine o'clock at St. Peter's Catholic church. Interment at the Catholic cemetery.

Flack—Funeral services for Mrs. Lucy Flack will be held at Lagrange Sunday afternoon. The body will be shipped to that city Sunday morning.

Misses Mabel Martin, Anna Young and Blanche Brown left on Friday afternoon to remain with New [illegible]

PLAN WATCH MEETING AT IMMANUEL CHURCH

Prepare Fine Program for New Year's Eve Service at Baptist Church.

After the regular Sunday evening services at the Immanuel Baptist church this week a watch night service will be held and a fine program rendered. A reception will be held for members of the church who have joined during the past year, during the rendering of the program.

The church has been prosperous and successful in the work of doing good during the year of 1916 and a spirit of gratitude prevails among its members. The church was especially fortunate in the preacher who conducted the evangelistic services there during the simultaneous campaign in the city and the members are extremely thankful for the growth of the church and the betterment of every department which has been its lot in the past year.

The program follows Orchestra selection; vocal solo, W. H. Halewood; piano solo, Mrs. Cora Ballard; piano and violin duet, Harry Brattain and Ensign Carrington; recitation and song, Edna Bedout; coronet and trombone solo, Mr. and Mrs. Mel Wolford; vocal solo, Miss Edna Kempheus; violin solo, Miss Bertha Werkman; vocal solo, Miss Urma Velvick; piano solo, Miss Esther Thompson; orchestra selection; coronet solo, Miss Marie Steury; vocal solo, Mrs. F. S. Kellogg; selection, mixed quartet; piano solo, Mrs. Laura Velvick; vocal solo, Miss Gertrude Potter.

SALE OF SEALS WILL REACH 400,000 MARK

Anti-Tuberculosis League Appreciates Interest Manifested.

While the final count of the sale of Christmas Red Cross seals conducted under the auspices of the Fort Wayne Tuberculosis league to raise money with which to carry on the fight against the white plague cannot be determined for several days, it is believed certain the desired 400,000 mark will have been reached. Many of the seals are still out and people soon send in the money for them. The drug stores have not been visited for the purpose of collecting the money derived in the sales through them. At noon Friday the total sales stood at 380,000.

Officials of the league were enthusiastic in their appreciation of the interest that has been taken this year and the assistance that has been rendered. No little credit they say is due to Mrs. J. R. Meriwether, who has been at the office of the league every day directing the work. Miss Irene Byron was also a big factor in making the campaign the phenominal success that it has been, surpassing all previous records both locally and in the middle west.

Miss Byron will leave Saturday morning for South Bend, where she will visit the Healthwin hospital and examine the plans for an addition that is to be built to that institution. The visit is made with the view of securing ideas for the county tuberculosis hospital to be erected in Allen county next spring.

LITTLE PEACE NEWS AT WASHINGTON END

Washington, Dec. 29.—Turkey's reply to President Wilson's peace note was received today at the state department. It is substantially the same as Germany's and Austria's.

This was the only development here today in the peace movement.

Officials carefully watched the foreign press comment and were interested in the announcement that the reply of the allies to the original German proposals was ready.

Until the allies reply also to President Wilson's note no move by this government is at all likely. Meanwhile the announced policy of silence prevails.

PACKARD DEALERS LEAVE FOR HOMES

Thirteen dealers in Packard pianos from Missouri, Kansas and Texas concluded a three days' visit at the factory of the Packard company in Fort Wayne Friday noon and left for their homes. Friday they were shown over the factory and explained the Packard business policy. The dealers were brought to the city in a special car by B. R. Brassfield, western representative for the Packard company. Today seven agents of the Packard company arrived in the city to arrange a program for the year 1917.

WABASH IS DOING IT NOW.

Initial Quarterly Dividend on Its Preferred "A" Stock.

New York, Dec. 29.—The Wabash Railway company today declared an initial quarterly dividend of 1 per [illegible] "A" stock.

Rurode's

The Final Clean-Up in *Millinery*

ALL WINTER HATS MUST GO

Your choice of any trimmed hat in our stock, Saturday morning from 9 to 12 o'clock, for

$1.00

Positively no hats sold at that price after 12 o'clock. Be on hand to get first choice.

Untrimmed Shapes

A lot of untrimmed hats of good quality silk velvet in small and medium sized shapes to close out at

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Muslinwear

For Less

During the Christmas rush a lot of Muslinwear was soiled and mussed; you will find these garments on a special table for quick selling. The prices have been greatly reduced.

All Through the Store

You will find remnants, odd lots and discontinued lines priced for a quick clean-up.

NEWS OF FORT WAYNE'S NEIGHBORS

HARTFORD CITY MAN MURDERED IN CHICAGO

Two Negroes Are Held Charged With the Crime—Father Received Word.

Hartford City, Ind., Dec. 29.—George Jackson, Harrison township farmer, living north of the city, received a telegram, Thursday morning, stating that his son, Albert J. Jackson, had been shot in Chicago. Jackson was murdered by negroes.

The following dispatch from Chicago tells of the tragedy:

"Two negroes suspected of murdering Albert J. Jackson, a bartender in John F. Butterly's saloon, at 4812 Broadway, each flatly accused the other yesterday of the assassination.

"They are Oscar Steiner, of 1045 Wilson avenue, and Gilmore L. Lindsey, of 908 Wilson avenue. Both were held to the grand jury without bail by the coroner's jury. The rifle with which Jackson was killed Tuesdday night is Lindsey's property.

"Lindsey said that Steiner came to his home and asked to borrow a small rifle which he used for shooting rats. He said Steiner said he was going to get Jackson. Lindsey advised against violence, he testified, but when Steiner insisted loaned him the rifle and accompanied him.

"'As we came near the saloon Steiner threw an object against the door,' he said. "When Jackson ran out to see what was up Steiner let him have it. Then he came back, handed me the rifle and we walked to Leland avenue, where we parted.'"

TRY TO POISON MARSHAL.

Hartford City Official Fears for His Life.

Hartford City, Ind., Dec. 29.—Samples of water taken from the well at the home of Marshal Jacob Pursley were sent to the state chemist for analysis Thursday after what appears to be an attempt to poison the marshal and his family through the medium of the well.

For several months the vicinity into which Mr. Pursley moved a short time ago has been in a continual turmoil and for a time it appeared as if that entire section of the city would be drawn into the courts here in the Mill street rows in which over twenty affidavits were filed within a few days in the court of Justice Croninger. On account of his official activities with the police at that time there is a great deal of enmity towards Mr. Pursley in that part of the city.

GIVES FAVORABLE REPORT.

Committee Finds Piano Factory Just as Represented.

Bluffton, Ind., Dec. 29.—The piano factory committee which held a conference Wednesday at Chicago, with Mr. Harry C. Bays, president of the Bays Piano company, arrived in Bluffton yesterday morning and made a very satisfactory report at a mass meeting of citizens held at 3:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the city building.

The committee of three, composed of R. S. Todd, M. K. Williamson and Carl Bonham, appointed by the president of the Chamber of Commerce to meet Mr. Bays at Chicago for a conference, came with a highly favorable report of the Bays company and of their investigations of the proposition submitted by Mr. Bays and statements of the factory's present force of laborers, output, growing business, business connections with selling agencies, need for a new site, etc., and as the committee stated in their advance message on Wednesday, their investigations proved the proposition submitted and the Bays company as an industrial institution beyond their expectations.

TERRELL CASE DISMISSED.

Outgoing Prosecuting Attorney Clears Docket for Successor.

Bluffton, Ind., Dec. 29.—An intimation of the death of the defendant filed in the case of the state against John W. Terrell, charged with the murder of his son-in-law, Melvin Wolfe, is the final echo of one of the most sensational murder cases ever tried in northern Indiana. Mr. Terrell passed away last fall at the home of a daughter at Muncie and the charge standing against him was removed from the docket of the Wells circuit court yesterday morning by the action of Prosecuting Attorney Lee Sprague. Terrell spent some time in the Richmond insane asylum but was finally released and permitted to spend his declining years with his children.

The removal of the Terrell case from the docket was accompanied by similar action in forty-eight cases. Mr. Sprague wishing to clean the docket of dead cases before his successor, Orville Pursley, takes office January 1,

INCREASE CAPITAL STOCK.

Double Fabric Tire Company Will Be $900,000 Concern.

Auburn, Ind., Dec. 29.—Negotiations were closed Wednesday afternoon at 5 o'clock whereby the capital stock of the Double Fabric Tire company of Auburn will be increased from $10,000 to $900,000.

Such an announcement means a big thing for Auburn. With the increased capital, this growing industry will at once start to increase its production, more buildings will be erected and more men will be employed.

Of the capital stock $300,000 will be preferred and $600,000 will be common. Papers showing the increase will be filed with the secretary of state at Indianapolis within the next few days.

QUARANTINE LIFTED.

Portland, Ind., Dec. 29.—Two homes which have been under smallpox quarantine have been properly fumigated and the quarantine lifted Wednesday evening. The home of County Health Secretary Dr. M. M. Moran is one of the places, the doctor having fully recovered from a mild form of the disease, while the other is that of William Glassford, at the end of East Race street. Mrs. T. A. Spitzer is the only new victim of the malady and it is the general opinion that the scare in Portland is over with a total of eight cases in all in the city during the fright. The Spitzer home has been quarantined. The moving picture shows will open Monday. The Crystal is taking this time to undergo repairs. The room is being repapered and the seating of the show house is also being changed.

CITIZENS MEETING CALLED.

Decatur, Ind., Dec. 29.—A meeting of Adams county citizens will be held within a week to further the state parks project. The meeting will be called by Mr. T. M. Gallogy, who has the work in this county in charge. Invitations will be issued to Monroe, Berne, Geneva, Linn Grove and other cities in the county to have representatives at the meeting. Efforts will be made to raise the $300 required of this county as soon as possible so that Turkey Run may be presented to the state of Indiana free of debt upon the opening of the state legislature. A good plan will be inaugurated at Geneva, where the work will be carried on through the schools. The students will have the soliciting in charge and will formulate their own plans for doing so.

MAY DEVELOP ROAD.

Huntington, Ind., Dec. 29.—At the suggestion of the late Dr. P. Yingling, a letter calling attention to the possibilities for developing the C., B. & C. railroad was written to Roscoe D. Smith about a year ago by C. B. Williams, secretary of the Huntington Commercial association. Mr. Smith has made a trip of inspection over the road, and is preparing a report for St. Louis capitalists. Dr. Yingling knew Mr. Smith when he was a civil engineer here, and the work done by Mr. Smith after he left Huntington in building and developing electric lines and many other industries.

NEW BANK AT CRAIGVILLE.

Bluffton, Ind., Dec. 29.—The Bank of Craigville is preparing to open for business next Tuesday, January 2. The new bank building has been completed and a safe was installed this week and with David Klopfenstine as president the bank will commence business. Gideon Gerber is the cashier of the bank. The stock is held largely by Craigville business men and farmers in that community.

NAMES HARSH DEPUTY.

Hartford City, Ind., Dec. 29.—Orville A. Pursley, prosecutor-elect for Wells and Blackford counties, has announced the selection of Theodore V. Harsh as his deputy for Wells county. Mr. Pursley succeeds L. F. Sprague and Mr. Harsh succeeds John F. Decker. The men take their offices on next Monday, January first.

BLUFFTON GIRL DIES.

Bluffton, Ind., Dec. 29.—Miss Dorothy May Lynch, 16, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Lynch, passed away Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock at the home of her parents, at 203 East Spring street. She had been sick for a year with tuberculosis.

More Millers Than Smiths and Jones

Kendallville, Ind., Dec. 29.—In some cities and towns the majority of the families are known as the Smiths or the Jones, but not quote so in Kendallville, for another family name takes the lead by a big majority. In this case it's the family of Millers. There are sixty Millers in Kendallville.

NEW HAVEN NEWS.

Mrs. E. E. Morris entertained the Battenburg club at her home Wednesday afternoon.

The funeral services of Louis Certia were held Thursday afternoon at the Methodist Protestant church.

Leonard Collins, of Van Wert, Ohio, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Oral Kitchens and family.

Miss Olive Lenhart entertained at dinner Thursday Misses Devilbiss and Bennett, of Fort Wayne, Misses Maud Caps, Clara Sheridan and Edna Gorrell.

Miss Mary Greenwalt, who has been attending school at Valparaiso, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Emmet Harper and family.

Clifford Bowman has returned to Milwaukee after spending Christmas here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Bowman.

John Harris has returned to Leipsic, Ohio, after visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Harris.

Mrs. R. J. Blackwell and children, Richard and Georganna, are visiting relatives at Macy, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Magner have been visiting relatives at Monroeville.

The Sigma Kappa basket ball team will go to Payne, Ohio, tonight and play the team at that place.

J. Lauden and family of Maples, have moved on the farm west of town, formerly occupied by Joe Stork and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Behrman entertained on Christmas, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Becker and children, Naomi and Wilma, and O. Krause, of Fort Wayne.

NOTICE!

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Hamilton National bank of Fort Wayne, will take place at the office of said bank on Tuesday, January 9th, 1917, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 3 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of electing directors to serve during the ensuing year, and such other business that may be presented at the meeting.

F. H. POOLE, Cashier.
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WANTED — Furnished rooms, light housekeeping rooms and houses for incoming students enrolling in the next class of the Ross College of Chiropractic, starting Jan. 3. Telephone 2288 at once, between 2 and 5 p. m.
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NEW WAR DRAFT RULE IS EFFECTIVE IN U. S.

Sweeping Order Sets Out Liability to Military Service.

Washington, Dec. 29.—Every able bodied male citizen of the United States between the ages of 18 and 45 years is held liable for service in the national guard in war time, without further act of congress by war department regulations for the government of the guard issued under the national defense act. In a circular prepared nearly two months ago, but made public only now the militia bureau directs that where a national guard regiment is called out for war service, a reserve training battalion to fill vacancies at the front shall be organized out of the national guard reserve and by voluntary enlistment.

"If for any reason," the order continues, "there shall not be enough reservists or enough voluntary enlistments to organize or to keep the reserve battalions at prescribed strength, a sufficient number of the unorganized militia shall be drafted by the president to maintain such battalion or other lesser reserve unit at the prescribed strength."

The language follows closely that of the national defense act, in which the unorganized militia is defined as including every able-bodied male citizen within the prescribed age limit or those who have declared their intention of becoming citizens.

A scoop which is also a scale has been invented by a man in Mobile, Ala.

Tongs that grip a door frame have been invented for hanging babies' chairs or swings in doorways.

THE BOSTON STORE

SOME EXCEPTIONAL BARGAINS FOR A FEW DAYS ONLY

Don't Fail to Attend This Sale and Take Advantage of These Low Prices.

UNDERWEAR DEPARTMENT.

Ladies' Black or Colored Lisle Hose at **25c a pr.**
Ladies' Heavy Cotton Hose at **25c a pair.**
Ladies' Silk Hose at **25c, 35c, 50c, 60c, 75c and $1.00 a pair.**
Men's Silk Hose at **25c a pair**; all colors.
Men's Lisle Hose at **15c and 25c a pair.**
Ladies' Heavy Fleeced Underwear at **25c a garment.**
Ladies' Extra Heavy Fleeced Underwear at **50c a garment.**
Ladies' Fleeced Union Suits at **50c, 75c and $1.00 a suit.**
Men's Heavy Fleeced Underwear at **50c a garment.**
Men's Heavy Fleeced Union Suits at **$1.00 and $1.50 a suit.**
All-Wool Underwear, Ladies' or Gents', sold at special prices.
Ladies' Black Mercerized Petticoats at **$1.00 and $1.50 each.**
Ladies' Changeable Silk Petticoats at **$2.89 and $3.89 each.**
Ladies' Black Taffeta Silk Petticoats at **$4.25 each.**
Extra Size Black or Green Silk Petticoats at **$4.75 each.**
Ladies' Striped or Plain Silk Waists at **$1.98, $2.25, $2.89, $3.89, $4.50 and $5.00 each.**
Ladies' or Gents' Bath Robes, nice and warm, at **$2.50, $3.00 and $3.25 each.**
Heavy Fleeced Kimonos at **$1.00, $1.50 and $1.89 each.**
Children's Knit Hockey Caps at **35c and 59c ea.**
Children's Angora Wool Scarfs and Caps at **69c, 79c, 89c and $1.00 a set.**
Ladies' Angora Wool Scarfs and Caps at **$1.25, $1.69, $1.89 and $1.98 each.**
Ladies' Fancy Knit Slippers, all colors, at **59c a pair.**
Children's lined Kid Gloves and Mittens at **69c a pair.**
Ladies' Washable Cape Kid Gloves at **$1.00 and $1.25 a pair.**
Ladies' Chamoisette Gloves, black and colors, at **50c a pair.**
Cotton Blankets at **$1.00, $1.25, $1.48, $2.25 and $2.39 a pair.**
Wool Blankets at **$4.50, $5.00, $5.50 and $7.00 a pair.**

SPECIAL!---Improved Vacuum Cleaner, Special . $3.95 Each

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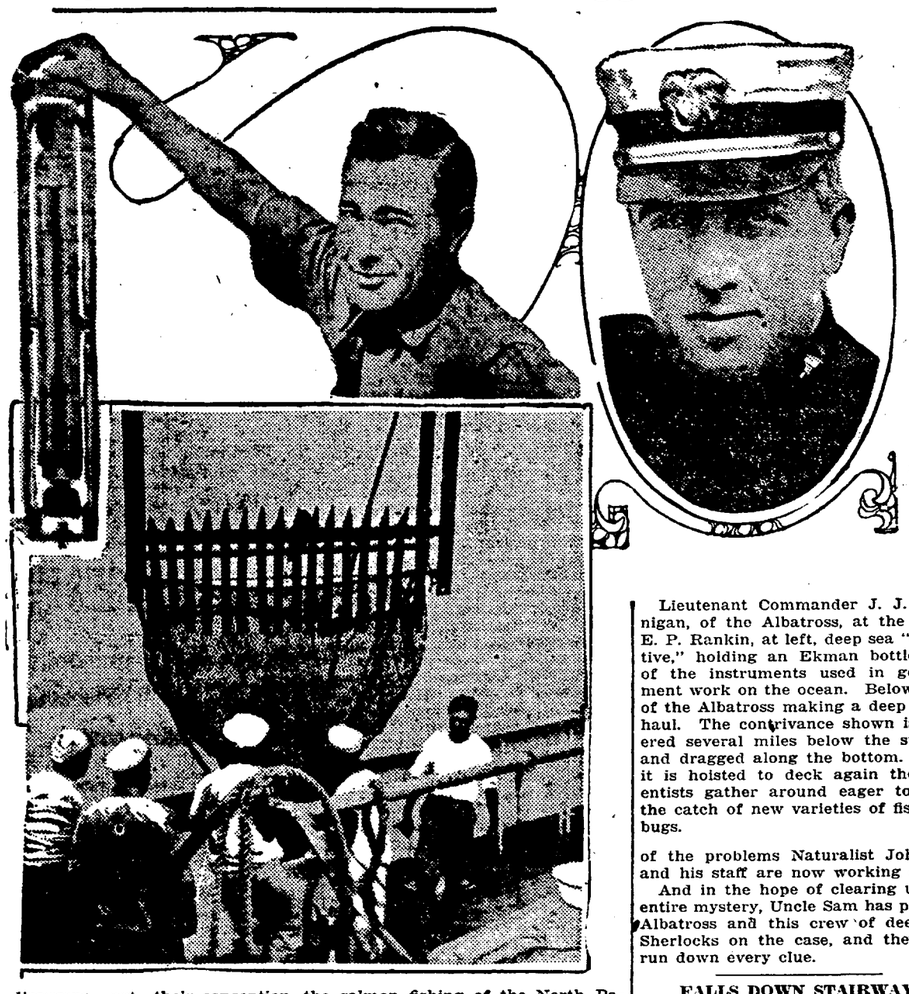
Ocean Sleuths Daily Risk Lives on Cruise to Catch Mysterious Bugs and Wigglers of the Sea

They Don't Mind Falling Overboard and Taking Chances With Death — Real Tragedy is Losing Precious Specimens in Unavoidable Accidents.



Lieutenant Commander J. J. Hannigan, of the Albatross, at the right. E. P. Rankin, at left, deep sea "detective," holding an Ekman bottle, one of the instruments used in government work on the ocean. Below, men of the Albatross making a deep water haul. The contrivance shown is lowered several miles below the surface and dragged along the bottom. When it is hoisted to deck again the scientists gather around eager to view the catch of new varieties of fish and bugs.

At Sea, Aboard the United States Steamship Albatross, Dec. 29.—"In case the order comes to abandon ship, your place will be in the cutter on the starboard side, sir. Get whatever belongings you wish to take with you, buckle on a life preserver at the forward hatch and make your way as quickly as possible to your station."

These were the instructions I received from Chief Bos'n Mate Monroe shortly after going aboard the United States fisheries steamship Albatross. Similar instructions were issued to every man on the ship.

The Albatross, under Lieutenant Commander J. J. Hannigan,, U. S. N., was steaming south from San Diego, off the coast of Lower California, to solve, if possible, one angle of a mystery of the sea—the tuna fishing problem.

To unravel this oceanic riddle, Uncle Sam has assigned the bureau of fisheries steamer Albatross and a staff of deep sea detectives to the case. Technically, they are known as scientists and they delve into hydrography, thalassography and pelagic work—jawbreaking words which refer to a study of the ocean and what it contains.

This scientific work is under the direction of Naturalist Edward C. Johnston and a corps of assistants. Johnston is the salt water sleuth who last year led an investigation of the halibut in the North Pacific near Alaska, which resulted in the discovery of new banks that have added materially to this year's halibut catch.

"What the bureau of fisheries is trying to do on this voyage," explained Naturalist Johnston, "is to define the boundaries of the tuna grounds. How far south and how far west do the fish go—that is the thing at present unknown."

An adventurous lot are these detective-scientists. They go forth each day in dory or launch to battle with fisheries problems in the open sea. Clad in their hip boots and oilskins and armed with fish lines, dip nets and specimen bottles they get information which turns the wheels of the fishing industry of the Pacific.

The tang of the sea is in their labor; the romance of all outdoors surrounds them. Every experience is an adventure, yet they are unconscious of it all. To them it is just work—barren, prosaic, commonplace work. It differs from most toil, however, because it is painfully exciting, minutely accurate and exceedingly difficult.

These men have adventures every day without realizing it. While they can readily classify some new deep sea discovery, yet their conception of romance and adventure is rather limited. Ask one if there is risk in his calling, if he doesn't occasionally get swamped in a dory or run the danger of being smashed alongside the ship in an uproarious sea and he, perhaps, pleads guilty, and then is surprised that you consider such occurrences adventurous. To him they are but a part of the day's work.

The great tragedy that these men are forever confronting is not the peril of losing their lives, but the possibility of smashing a specimen bottle which contains some ocean-going bug, or organism, which they have spent sleepless days and nights to get. Such an accident is infinitely more tragic than falling overboard from a dory in rough water.

Canning the "chicken of the sea," as the tuna is called, has given rise to a new fishing industry off the coast of southern California, which bears promise of becoming as extensive as is the salmon fishing of the North Pacific.

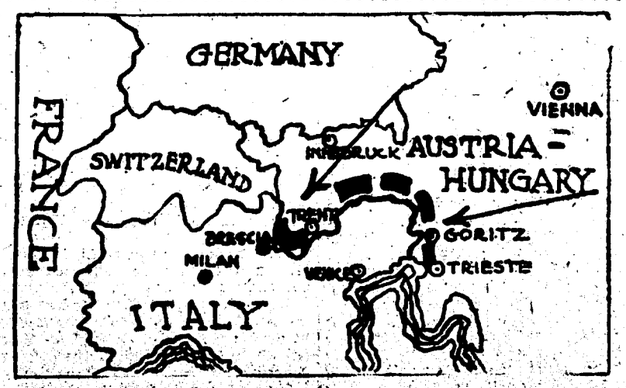
But before this enterprise can be reveloped to its full capacity, more must be learned regarding the tuna. At present their is little definite information available on these fish. With the halibut, they are the mystery fish of the Pacific. As yet the government has been unable to find where the tuna spawn. This is one of the problems Naturalist Johnston and his staff are now working out.

And in the hope of clearing up the entire mystery, Uncle Sam has put the Albatross and this crew of deep sea Sherlocks on the case, and they will run down every clue.

FALLS DOWN STAIRWAY.

Frank Stanley, who states that he resides in Pennsylvania, fainted Thursday evening at the top of the flight of stairs in the Pennsylvania depot and fell to the bottom. He was rushed to the hospital where it was discovered that no bones were broken and that the fainting was due to stomach trouble.

GERMANS PREPARE TO HEM IN ITALY.



The next big move of Germany, it is reported, will be a dash to Italy, in an attempt to hem Italy in and make the country another Rumania.

The arrows in the map show the probable ways the Germans will invade Italy, either along the Brescia line from the Trentino or the Gorita railway in Trieste. The heavy dotted line shows how far the Italians have pierced into Austria-Hungary.

The Most Important Announcement

in Sunday's Journal-Gazette will be

Frank's January Clearance Sale

Opens Tuesday, January 2nd.
Watch and Read Every Bargain.

Frank Dry Goods Company

Uncle Sam Spends $49,000,000 in Futile Effort to Catch Villa

And the Bandit is Still at Large—Part of the Cost Due to Fact That State Militia Was Not Properly Equipped and Seasoned.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 29.—It is estimated today that Uncle Sam has spent more than $49,000,000 trying to catch "Pancho" Villa and the Mexican bandit is still at large. He has just captured the Mexican city of Torreon, according to one report and hasn't captured it according to another.

The war department has not yet issued an official report on the cost of trying to catch the $49,000,000 bandit.

Last year the cost of feeding the regular army was 27 cents a man per day. Food price increases have placed the cost at 30 cents. Uncle Sam has spent about $8,120,996 feeding the 140,259 men for 193 days spent on the border.

The pay bill for officers and men is put at $22,489,089.

The cavalry and field artillery of the state militia were practically horseless when they went to the border. The 6,315 cavalrymen had 1,824 horses, the 2,524 field artillerymen 912 horses. It cost $1,943,890 to buy horses and mules.

From the time Pershing went into Mexico to June 30, 1916, there were bought for the exclusive use of the expedition 588 motor trucks, 57 motor tank trucks, 6 motor machine shop trucks, 75 automobiles, 61 motorcycles and eight tractors for repairing roads. This cost is placed at $2,175,670.

The $49,000,000 estimate does not cover wearing out of tentage and supplies of all kinds, nor cost of maintenance of roads and supply trains.

With Villa at large and the cost to Uncle Sam going on the total figure, when the Villa matter is finally ended, will be all the more astounding.

FIGURES ON COST TRYING TO CATCH VILLA.

Subsistence of national guardsmen in federal service	$ 8,120,996.10
Pay of officers and enlisted men of the national guard in federal service	22,489,089.54
Transportation of regulars and national guard to border	5,756,770.00
Transportation of food to border	290,770.00
Transportation of freight, baggage and impedimenta to border	2,025,000.09
Special motor transportation equipment purchased specially for use on the border and in Mexico	2,175,670.09
Payments by federal government to dependent families of enlisted men	2,000,000.00
Payments by Red Cross and charities to dependent families	100,000.00
Clothing equipment issued to the national guard and worn out	4,121,533.61
Purchase of horses for national guard	1,943,890.00
Total	$49,022,984.91

M'LAUGHLIN RESIGNS.

Deputy Revenue Collector Gives Up Work Because of Ill Health.

Thomas J. McLaughlin, deputy revenue collector for Allen, Noble, DeKalb and Whitley counties, has tendered his resignation which will take effect immediately. Because of ill health he was forced to give up the work. John C. Belot, special deputy collector, is in charge temporarily. All remittances to the office of the deputy collector are to be made payable to Peter J. Kruyer, internal revenue collector for this district.

Sentinel Want Ads. Pay.

BUDA PEST SEEMS TO HAVE FORGOTTEN WAR

Coronation Festivities in Full Swing in Hungarian Capital.

Buda Pest, Hungary, Thursday, Dec. 28.—(Via London 29)—The coronation festivities are in full swing here under the brightest of winter skies and Buda Pest, for the time being seems to have forgotten the war. A holiday crowd moves through the streets gay with flags and bunting, many of the people in the splendid national garb. The principal thoroughfares are crowded with automobiles, state carriages, mounted and unmounted troops, officers in full dress and nobles in Magyar costumes.

Notwithstanding the rain yesterday an unprecedented crowd witnessed the formal entry of King Charles. Visitors came from all parts of the country. Windows along the route were rented for as much as 5,000 crowns in some instances, while in one case 21,000 crowns were paid. The inauguration diploma was handed to the king last evening by a deputation from both houses of parliament. To-day the king returned the diploma to parliament, with his signature, and parliament administered the oath. New crown guardians were selected by the king. It was an impressive ceremony the members of both houses, in the Hungarian national costume, assembling in joint session. The coronation ceremony will begin at 7 o'clock Saturday morning.

URGES A SURVEY OF COLLEGE ATHLETICS

Association Seeks Light on Moral Influence on Students.

New York, Dec. 29.—A comprehensive investigation of college athletics will be made providing the national collegiate athletic association can gain the aid of the Carnegie foundation, the Sage foundation or the general educational board in a countrywide movement. The association at its convention here yesterday adopted a resolution providing "that the executive committee of the organization request one of these foundations to make a survey of athletics in colleges with particular reference to their moral influence."

It was announced that the executive committee which is made up of the officers of the association and the district representatives will immediately get in touch with the foundations and will try to launch a movement copied after other great educational surveys that these institutions have made.

One of the most interesting discussions at the convention revolved around the "athletic heart;" according to Dr. Roger I. Lee of Harvard university there is no such thing as an athletic heart. Dr. Lee claimed to have proved this during the last year with Harvard oarsmen by means of a new instrument devised to take graphic records. With these instruments he was able to study the cardiac rhythm and natural rhythm and he declared the cardiac irregularities are in no way related to physical exercise but rather to increased numerous sensibility. He said that these irregularities occur frequently in all walks of life and are not limited to athletic persons.

FOUR TAKEN AWAY.

Four prisoners were taken to the state penal farm and the woman's home at Indianapolis, by deputy sheriffs Friday. Gertrude Gustis was the woman who will serve 140 days in the Indianapolis institution. She had been convicted several times on drunk charges. The three men who will labor at the state farm are Floyd Martish, who will serve 140 days for stealing a ring; Joe Bradley, who gets 85 days for stealing silverware from his landlady, and Frank Clark, who will serve ninety days for a compilation of drunk charges.

AMERICA INDULGES IN A LUXURY SPREE

Millions Made During the Past Two Years Are Being Turned Loose.

New York, Dec. 25.—America is intoxicated! Intoxicated with money! We are reeling through the last days of 1916 in an extravagant luxury spree unparalleled in all world history!

"The fact is," says an observer, "your Uncle Sam is actually as lightheaded from over-indulgence in gold as he would be if he'd imbibed too freely of the golden fluid that flows these nights in the champagne chateaux of Broadway!"

While the prosperity fever is nationwide, it has come to a head in New York, the world's money center. And recent whirlwinds in Wall street, the money center of New York, are declared to have revealed in a startling manner the extent of the reckless extravagance sweeping America.

Nothing short of the peace proposals of Germany and the consequent partial collapse in Wall street could have so sharply shown up the golden skeleton of our prosperity. The recent slump was like the caving-in of a small portion of a great palace, revealing an amazing cross-section of wealth, luxury and extravagance within!

In that peace proposal flurry fortunes were lost, two men died beside the tickers in brokers' offices, five times as many shares were traded in the week of the excitement as in the corresponding week of 1915! But the fortunes lost were merely a drop out of a bucket of wealth. The big losses simply served to uncover how the millions made in America in the last two years are being spent, without even slowing down the spending!

Several paper fortunes of over a million were reduced to less than $100,000 in a couple of hours. A young broker who had made $120,000 in war brides was put suddenly $15,000 into the hole!

A leading steel man wrote off $1,900,000 from his profits in United States steel!

A girl telephone operator who had built up $800 into $18,000 and was living a luxurious bachelor life on $200 a week income, lost everything and is now in a sanitarium with nervous prostration.

A curb broker, caught short, tried to sell his $1,400 car for $500 cash!

The significance of these figures, is said to be in the fact that the losses have hardly been felt! They simply disclose in startling fashion the amazing scope of America's war-made fortunes, and of Wall street's gambling. The stage is already being set for more speculation sprees on the stock exchange. The money madness grows fiercer, and New York's holiday extravagance booms along greater than ever, to the joy of merchants, hotel keepers, restaurateus and theater managers.

The important feature which economists point out in the situation is that there has grown up in America in the past two years a tremendous number of large fortunes which yet are not quite large enough to make their owners millionaires. These are the people who are now coming to New York from all over the nation with their pockets full of money and are spending it in the current whirl of extravagance. These are the people who are gambling in Wall street.

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CITY TO SUPPLY SERUM.

New York Hopes to Lower Death Rate From Pneumonia.

New York, Dec. 29.—The city health department will in the future supply for th etreatment of lobar pneumonia the serum, perfected by the Rockefeller Institute of Medical Research, Htalth Commissioner Emerson announced today. This step, he said, might prove to be the means of lessening materially deaths from pneumonia in New York city, which amount to 10,000 a year.

PARA POLICE IN REVOLT

Attack Governor's Palace, But Are Finally Subdued

Rio Dejaneiro, Dec. 29.—Dispatches from Belem, capital of the state of Para, say three battalions of police revolted and attacked the palace of the governor Enos Martins, who took refuge in the quarters of the federal regiment. President Brase telegraphed the dommandant of the military region ordering him to despatch forces to the aid of the governor. It was later announced that Gov. Martins had been reinstalled in his palace and that order had been restored.

TAKEN TO INFIRMARY

Christ Hartzog, 64, who came to Fort Wayne from Defiance, Ohio, Thursday afternoon, was removed to the county infirfary, Friday morning. Hartzog has been a county charge before.

The Snowberger Co
912 CALHOUN STREET "Women's Wear" FORT WAYNE INDIANA.

Announce the Opening of Their
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IT'S A COLD, CRUEL WORLD!

Hitt and Runn—Kelly Asked for His Ten for the Last Time---and Didn't Get It!

BY HITT

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HEY! YOU TWO FOURFLUSHERS HOLD ON THERE—
NOW LISTEN— FOR THE LAST TIME I'M ASKING YOU FELLOWS FOR THAT 10 SPOT—
ZIP
YOU SAID IT THAT TIME KELLY-
World Color Printing Co. St Louis, Mo

Electric Works and Pennsy Win Industrial League Opener

Electricians and Railroaders Head the Industrial League

Bowser and Dudlo Quints Get Small End of the League Opening.

The Electrical works and Pennsylvania basketball teams are sharing honors at the top of the Industrial league as a result of last night's big send-off at St. Paul's auditorium, in which the Bowser and Dudlo teams got the count in respective order. The electricians won from the oil-tankers 6 to 11, while the Pennsy gang put a 14 to 9 win over the Dudlo people. All four teams were well backed and the rooters did their share, putting on everything from the "nine times for team" to the snake dance following the game. It was good stuff and there's not a chance of the circuit being anything but a success after that start.

Bowser-Electric Works.

In the first the losing team came mighty near copping by the way of an eleventh hour spurt. Kennedy and Dietrick, two of the best stars in the city, by a series of short passes across the hall were able many times to get the ball right under the Pennsy cage, where the Bowser forwards would have a chance to put over the count. The forwards had a lot of trouble connecting, however, and the "Dynamos" put over the win.

Louie Island's first bit of trouble came in the second half of the first game when both teams were going at full speed and dirty work was ready to crop out at the smallest cause. Louie's work was well taken care of, and although the fans of both sides did a bunch of hooting at decisions, those who were non-partisan (very few) could see that the work was impartial.

Keplinger played a star game at forward for the winners, piling up a lead of 10 to 2 early in the game, from which the Bowserites never did recover. It was after the score was in this lop-sided condition that the losers opened up with their spurt which came close to turning the tables.

The scoring:

Bowsers (11).	Electric Works (16).
Freistroffer .....L. F.....	Diffendorf
Weberuss .....L. F.....	Keplinger
Mensing .....C.....	Vonderhaar
Dietrich .....R. G.....	R. Miller
Kennedy .....L. G.....	Blee

Field goals—Freistroffer, 1; Weberuss, 1; Mensing, 1; Dietrich, 1; Diffendorf 1; Keplinger, 4; Blee, 1.

Foul goals—Weberuss, 1; Dietrich, 2; Miller, 4.

Referee—Island.

Dudlo-Pennsylvania.

In this game the winners came out from under in the second period and won by a score of 14 to 9. At the end of the first half the Dudlo crew were leading by a score of 7 to 2. The Pennsy gang got together after the intermission and added a dozen points to their count while the Dudlo gang was piling up one basket.

Doriot was the main factor in the Pennsy spurt, getting 10 of the 14 points himself. He played the floor nicely and was shooting like a house afire. About the middle of the second half things were pretty well tied up, the score hanging at 8 to 8. The Pennsy went on ahead, however, and the Dudlo bunch didn't catch up again.

The scoring in the last game:

Pennsy (14).	Dudlo (9).
Doriot .....R. F.....	Voss
R. Mills .....L. F.....	Wyss
Cramer .....C.....	Herring
Dailey .....R. G.....	Kierspi
C. Henry .....L. G.	Kohrman-Foster

OFFERS $25,000

For Ten Round Bout Between Darcy and Gibbons.

Minneapolis, Minn., Dec. 29.—Harry Sherman, local boxing promoter, Thursday offered a purse of $25,000 for a ten round boxing contest between Mike Gibbons of St. Paul and Les Darcy of Australia, the fight to be staged in either Minneapolis or St. Paul. The winner would receive 75 per cent and the loser 25 per cent. Four of the leading boxing experts of the country would act as judges, and the fighters would abide by their decision in case neither man had a marked advantage.

WANTS BILL CARRIGAN.

New Red Sox Owner Would Have Old Manager Stick.

Boston, Dec. 29.—That Harry H. Frazee, new owner of the Red Sox, is trying to arrange a conference with Bill Carrigan in regard to taking over the management of that team was certain yesterday. Reports have it that Frazee will go to Lewiston, but it is more probable Carrigan will come to Boston. It has been learned that Frazee wired Carrigan asking him here.

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HARVARD DEAN OBJECTS TO COACHES' CUSSING

Mentors Have No More Right to Rough Stuff Than Professors.

New York, Dec. 29.—Dean Le Baron R. Briggs, of Harvard university, warned the National Collegiate association at its meeting yesterday that Harvard resents "to the breaking point" curses by football coaches directed at football players.

Dean Briggs said the Harvard faculty could not well discontinue collegiate football, but said it might cut off supplies and appropriations.

"Why should the football teacher curse his pupils when the teacher of Greek is forbidden?" he wanted to know.

Discussing the "serious side of athletics" and its financial aspect, the speaker said that "with notable exceptions amateur coaches are inconstant, transient, and unable for want of time and tenure to carry out a well considered policy."

In an address on "The Value of Football," Professor Raymond Garfield Gettell of Amherst college said:

"A phenomenon of frequent recurrence in widely separated times and places has been the intense general interest in games or contests manifested by those peoples who held the leading place in the civilization of their day. The Olympic games in Greece, the gladiatorial contests in Rome, and the tournaments of the middle ages alike were characterized by the enthusiastic zeal of those actively engaged, by the presence of crowds of frenzied spectators, and by the interest and attention centered upon them by the public at large. All these athletic carnivals were subjected to severe criticism in their age, yet they increased in popularity in spite of opposition, and declined only with the decadence of the peoples interested or with changes in culture that made them no longer possible.

"As might be expected, football has been subjected to unusually severe criticism. The danger to life and limb, the accompanying evils of gambling, professionalism, or unsportsmanlike methods, the enormous expenditures, the comparatively small number who actually take part in proportion to the numerous spectators, the false standards created in the minds of growing school boys, the overemphasis on athletics in general in colleges and universities—these are some of the direct accusations that the sport has been compelled to face.

"In spite of these criticisms and these defects, however, football has become during the autumn season the pre-eminent sport, especially in American schools and colleges. The football 'star' is a college hero; ambition to make the team is a chief desire in the mind of many a student, and pride over football victories is a powerful stimulant to loyal college spirit. Nor does public interest in the game show signs of decline.

"Football is not a contest between individuals. It is a contest between groups or teams. The union of eleven men under their captain typifies the characteristic human factor of organization. In no other game is the individual, as individual, of so little moment, and the unit, or team, so closely integrated. Football, then, demands co-operation, the subordination of the individual interest to the welfare of the larger unit. It reproduces on a small scale that process of organized social effort by which man first attained supremacy over the world of nature.

Game Builds Up Ideal.

"Football, while retaining the virtues of physical combat, remedies its worst evils by emphasizing organization, co-operation, and obedience. These necessitate self-sacrifice, subordination, mutual aid, and fair play. They discipline the individual, teach self-control, and inculcate principles of honor and loyalty. Especially do they build up an ideal."

Annette Kellermann Art Calendar Free.

The demand for the CHICAGO SUNDAY HERALD next Sunday will be greater than ever before because along with the regular big edition there will be given free of charge a beautiful 1917 art calendar showing a reproduced photograph in six colors of Annette Kellermann as she appears in William Fox's million dollar picture, "A Daughter of the Gods." This photograph shows Miss Kellermann, who has been declared the most perfectly formed woman in the world, from the top of her head to the tip of her toes, garbed in a gorgeous bathing suit before an elaborately decorated background of startling colorings. This calendar is free. Make sure of obtaining one by ordering your copy of next Sunday's CHICAGO HERALD from your newsdealer today.

ON OR OFF FIELD, PLAYERS SHOW SAME CHARACTERISTICS

IF THEY'RE TIGHT AT THE BAT, THEY ARE CAREFUL OF THEIR MONEY.

BY PAUL PURMAN.

There are types of ball players who reflect their everyday habits of living in their style of batting; their way of living is mirrored by their conduct on the field.

If in private life they are saving and careful with their money they are not apt to be extravagant on the ball field and the pitcher who has one of them facing him knows he will have to give them something good for they will not waste their swings.

On the other hand if they are extravagant off the field pitchers have learned that many of them carry this trait to the diamond and are liable to swing at almost anything.

Miller Huggins, Willie Keeler, Johnny Evers, Kid Elberfeld and Tommy Leach were the hoodoos of pitchers.

They would stand at the plate and wait for what they wanted. They didn't step outside to hit at wide ones nor edge back to take a chance on the high ones inside.

They didn't waste anything, those wise boys, and they don't waste anything in private life.

Miller Huggins is noted for his thrift. He has invested in real estate and when he retires from baseball will have to do nothing except collect rent.

Willie Keeler is living off the income from his apartment houses in Baltimore, which he built from money saved while he was playing baseball.

Johnny Evers, the most unfortunate of them all, is rebuilding a fortune lost in ill-advised business deals.

Kid Elberfeld owns a great farm near Chattanooga, which yields him a big income, and Tommy Leach has big investments in Florida land.

There's Heine Zimmerman, who would be one of the game's best hitters if he would conserve his swings and "wait 'em out" now and then. Zim is as free with his money off the field as with his swings when he's "up there."

Zim's money goes for high-priced neckties, which he wears once or twice, for anything he takes a fancy to, whether he needs it or not, and his pay check is usually gone before he gets it.

Almeida, the Cuban star, is another of the same type.

He buys $12 shirts one day and gives them away the next. He throws his money right and left and on the ball field he is handicapped by like extravagance when he's facing a pitcher.

IF THEY SWING AT ANYTHING, THEY'RE EXTRAVAGANT OFF THE FIELD.

NEWS FROM HERE AND THERE IN SPORTDOM

Chicago, Dec. 29.—William "Kid" Gleason, the veteran baseball player, probably will be retained as coach of the Chicago American league club next season, although official announcement has not been made.

Clarence Rowland, manager of the team, considers Gleason a valuable aid in developing young players. Gleason's temperament, Rowland says, makes him thoroughly fitted for the task.

Bloomington, Ind., Dec. 29.—E. O. Stiehm, athletic director of Indiana university, has been empowered to make up the 1917 football schedule without further consultation with the athletic committee

Coach Stiehm said that except for the Ohio and Purdue games, nothing definite has been settled as to the schedule. There is a possibility, he said, of opening the season here with Wabash. Ohio State will be played at Indianapolis on November 3. It is probable that the Minnesota game will be played at Minneapolis.

Columbus, O., Dec. 29.—Seven football games complete the schedule for Ohio State university next season. The 1916 champions of the western conference will meet four "Big Nine" elevens—Northwestern, Indiana, Wisconsin and Illinois. Oberlin, Ohio's traditional foe, has been temporarily dropped, and a game has been scheduled with Denison university instead. Denison was tied for first honors in the Ohio conference last season and has prospects of a strong team next fall. Efforts were made by Ohio State authorities to arrange a game with Cornell, but the Ithacans declined to come to Columbus.

The 1917 season will open one week earlier than last year. Case will play the opener here on September 29, followed by Ohio Wesleyan one week later. Northwestern, which played Ohio for the conference championship last fall, will come to Columbus October 13 for the first contest of the "Big Nine" season.

Illinois will be the attraction for the big homecoming game November 17. The schedule follows:-

Sept. 29—Case university at Columbus.
Oct. 6—Ohio Wesleyan at Columbus.
Oct. 13—Northwestern university at Columbus.
Oct. 27—Denison university at Columbus.
Nov. 3—Indiana university at Indianapolis.
Nov. 10—University of Wisconsin at Madison.
Nov. 17—University of Illinois at Columbus.

Bloomington, Ind., Dec. 29.—A concrete stadium, with a seating capacity of more than 10,000 and costing in the neighborhood of $50,000 is to be erected at Indiana university.

E. C. Stiehm, athletic director; George M. Cook, of Indianapolis; Harry M Scholler, of Crawfordsville; Frank L. Jones, of Indianapolis, and Ralph V. Stollitt, alumni secretary, have been appointed to carry out the stadium plan. They propose to visit other universities in the west in search of ideas.

Chicago, Dec. 29.—Joseph B. Tinker, purchaser of the Columbus club of the American association considers third base the easiest position in the infield.

"That's why I'm going to play third for Columbus next season—because I think it will be a soft spot," the former manager of the Chicago Nationals said.

Tinker thinks he's a bit too slow to play short, his old-time position, as it should be played.

Notre Dame, Ind., Dec. 29.—Jesse Harper, athletic director at the University of Notre Dame, is busy arranging the 1917 baseball and football schedule. The baseball schedule, which provides for a number of games with western conference teams, is nearly completed, but the football dates have not been arranged.

Nebraska, however, will play Notre Dame again next year. Wabash and Alma, from present indications, probably will not be on the schedule. Kalamazoo college may get a game. Nothing definite has been announced about games with Minnesota or other conference teams, although local sentiment favors one or more games with members of the "Big Nine."

Georgetown, Fordham, Boston college and Dartmouth are seeking games with Notre Dame and are anxious to play either in Indianapolis or Chicago. Arrangements for the annual intersectional contest with the Army eleven have not been completed.

Chicago, Dec. 29.—Jacques Fournier, first baseman with the Chicago Americans, wants to return to the outfield. He has informed Manager Rowland that he will try for the right field berth next season. John Collins, Eddie Murphy and Nemo Leibold are other contenders for the position.

Junior Order of Moose lodge will hold nomination of officers, Friday, Dec. 29, 1916. All brothers are requested to be present. R. McCreary, sec'y. 28-3t

PYRAMIDS GRAB TIGHT CONTEST FROM EXENDAS

St. Patrick Team Opens Season With a Win in Last Half.

All dolled up in new uniforms and sweaters the Pyramids of St. Patrick's Lyceum took the field against the Exendas last night in the opening game of the former's schedule. The Lyceumites made a fine appearance on the floor and backed up their "looks" by copping the game from the visitors when there were very few minutes of playing time left. The score was 24 to 20.

The Exendas grabbed the lead soon after the start and retained it throughout the first half, keeping about four points in the lead. In the second period the Pyramids started to find the baskets and honors switched back and forth between the two teams. Doriot and Earl Stall starred for the Pyramids, while Sauerwine and Harrold played good games for the visitors.

The Pyramids have a good schedule but have several dates which they would like to fill with teams in the city. A call at the Lyceum by managers will locate the Pyramid bosses.

The line-up and scoring:

Exendas.	Pyramids.
Stocks .....R. F.....	Logan-Loney
Sauerwine .....L. F.....	Doriot
Harrold .....C.....	E. Stall
Fruechte .....R. G.....	K. Stall
Gidley .....L. G.....	Rauner

Field goals—Sauerwine, 5; Harrold, 2; Gidley, 1; Stocks, 1; E. Stall, 5; Doriot, 1; Logan, 2; Loney, 1.

Foul goals—Harrold, 2.

Referee—Purman.

In the preliminary the Celts defeated the Rexalls in a game which went five minutes overtime, the final score being 16 to 18. Boulard starred for the losers with the most baskets in the game. N. Zurbuch did the heavy work for the winners.

TEN MINUTE TALKS.

At a meeting of the One Hundred Per Cent. club at the Commercial club Wednesday night, January 3, talks of ten minutes each will be made by nine or ten of the members. The short talks will be on various phases of a talk which E. W. Puckett will give.

BOWLING.

CITY ASSOCIATION.

LYRIC BUFFET.

Players.	1st.	2d.	3d.
Ehle	198	185	160
Beckes	120	190	167
Kelley	201	191	185
E. Harkey	192	164	191
Doehrman	213	218	207
Totals	924	948	910

BERRY BUFFET.

Players.	1st.	2d.	3d.
Grimes	176	216	181
S. Miller	177	122	163
Zurcher	170	150	202
Bender	176	181	183
H. Miller	202	162	207
Totals	901	831	937

TROY DRY CLEANING CO.

Players.	1st.	2d.	3d.
Henschen	187	204	113
Smith	181	187	180
Feistkorn	151	178	173
Einseidel	177	169	201
Bittler	149	176	199
Totals	945	913	892

FRIARS.

Players.	1st.	2d.	3d.
C. Tucker	166	178	217
Nussbaum	214	175	188
Leach	176	193	149
Centlivre	207	213	158
Vesey	151	170	182
Totals	914	929	894

AT STAR ALLEYS.

FREIGHT HOUSE.

Players.	1st.	2d.	3d.
Valmer	194	175	159
Kocks	108	146	133
Marks	152	168	179
Myers	133	164	145
Rager	147	156	158
Totals	734	809	774

EAST CAR SHOPS.

Players.	1st.	2d.	3d.
A. Zurbuck	210	125	166
H. Martin	135	144	150
L. E. Rombke	124	101	122
G. C. Curral	155	144	157
T. J. Thompson	148	166	171
Totals	772	680	767

CARDINALS WILL OPEN WITH HARLAN TONIGHT

The Cardinals will open their schedule tonight at the St. Mary's hall, having as their assistant attractions the city team of Harlan. Harlan has been playing for some time this season and has a good record. The Cardinals have practically the same team they had last year and expect to show up with some good team work. A preliminary will start at 7.45 o'clock.

BELGIAN MARES

Are Purchased at Crouch Farm by William Bleke, of Huntertown.

William Bleke, of Huntertown, has purchased three of the best Belgian mares in the United States of J. Crouch & Son, of Lafayette. The mares weigh more than a ton each and are of the finest breeding attainable. The Fort Wayne district is one of the best in the country in the breeding of Belgian horses. It was known that Mr. Bleke was to make a purchase but so large a one came as a surprise.

C. M. McConnell, president of the Indiana stallion enrollment board, will be present at a meeting of Belgian horse breeders to be held Saturday afternoon at one o'clock in the office of A. J. Hutchins, county agent.

DO YOUR CHRISTMAS SWAPPING EARLY!

CHICAGO MAN IS NEW ADVISER FOR DARCY

Has Been in Correspondence With Australian for More Than a Year.

Chicago, Dec. 29.—Les Darcy continued to hold the sporting spotlight, his name figuring in one of the best all-around sensations sprung since he left Australia. Darcy's claims to a championship may be clouded in some particulars, but that he is champion of the world at the publicity game there is no doubt at all.

Leonard Hicks, landlord at the Grant hotel and bosom friend of Tom Jones and Jess Willard, came back to Chicago from New York yesterday and notified the newspaper men that Hicks hereafter will be in complete charge of Darcy's pugilistic and theatrical affairs in the capacity of confidential adviser. He has no signed contract, he says, but declares he can produce correspondence with [illegible] covering a period of more than a year which will establish his claim to prior rights on Darcy's services.

Ever since Darcy first made up his mind to come to America there has been a scramble on the part of fight managers to land the plum. Jack Kearns announced he was Darcy's manager and had a contract. Tom Jones announced he had bought part of Kearns' contract. Tex Rickard announced that he would manage Darcy. When Darcy himself arrived it developed that he had signed no contracts at all and did not intend to sign any.

"More than a year ago I conceived the idea of bringing Darcy to America," said Hicks last night. "When Les knocked McGoorty out twice I decided he must be a wonder and opened negotiations with him to come over.

"In these negotiations I had the assistance of one of the most prominent men in Chicago, whose name I am not at liberty to mention now. He had influencial friends in Australia, and between us it was arranged for Darcy to come to America.

"The war placed many obstacles in our way. And at one time Darcy's price seemed out of reach, for he insisted that a large sum be placed in a bank in Australia before he would undertake the journey. Finally I agreed to place a stipulated amount in any American bank that Darcy might designate two weeks before any fight in which he might participate, and he agreed to make the trip.

"Tex Rickard happened to be the man who met him upon his arrival in New York, because my train was two hours late. But I have been with him practically continually ever since last Saturday and we understand each other perfectly. Darcy will sign no contracts with a manager. I will act as his adviser, and I will say right now that I am in a position to bid more than Tex Rickard can bid for a Darcy fight."

Hicks said he was trying to arrange for a week's theatrical work for Darcy at a local vaudeville house, which, he thinks, will serve to introduce the newcomer to the Chicago newspaper men. After that, some time, Darcy may make up his mind to fight. Just at present, however, it looks like a season of theatrical work and press agentry, with million dollar offers and no action.

WELSH AND KILBANE

Will Stage a Little Dance for Twenty-five Thousand Dollars.

New York, Dec. 29.—Matt Hinkel, Cleveland boxing promoter, yesterday announced he had made a flat offer of $25,000 for a bout between Lightweight Champion Freddie Welsh and Featherweight Champion Johnny Kilbane to take place May 30 at Cedar Point, O., where the Kilbane-Cheney fight was held.

Pollok has been trying to frame such a match for New York, but things are so uncertain in a pugilistic way here that it now appears almost hopeless. Les Darcy's arrival also has overshadowed the probability of a headline bout without the Australian's participation.

Hinkel is making no restrictions on the purse he has offered for the bout between the two champions. It will be split according to their own ideas.

PENN GRID STAR

Out of New Year's Game With Sprained Ankle.

Pasadena, Cal., Dec. 29.—Clem Urquhart, left end of the University of Pennsylvania's football eleven, will not be in the New Year's game with the University of Oregon at Tournament park here. Urquhart has a sprained ankle and will be replaced by Albert Crane of Seattle. The Tournament of Roses association promoters of the game, announced Thursday the placing of rain insurance with Lloyds agency. In event of rain, a quarter of an inch, at Pasadena between Sunday, 9 a. m., and Monday, 4 p. m., Lloyds is to pay $23,000.

Sentinel Wants Ads Get Results.

SHOP AND RAILROAD NEWS

ALEXANDER BROWN RUN DOWN ON CROSSING

G. R. & I. Engine Was Backing Up to Get Train When It Struck Him

Alexander Brown, fifty years old, of Grand Rapids, Mich., was instantly killed at 5 o'clock last night when he was run down by a G. R. & I. engine which was backing up to the station from the round house to get southbound passenger train No. 6. The accident occurred at Wealthy street and was due, it is said, to the victim failing to observe th esafety-first rules of the company. Engineer F. E. Nicolai, of 1916 Clinton street, Fort Wayne, was at the throttle of the engine and did not know a man had been run over until told of it after the accident. The victim was not an employe of the company.

GETTING THEIR ANNUALS.

Over 6,500 Passes Being Distributed by Pennsy.

E. F. Stephan, chief clerk of the Pennsylvania superintendent's office, has the 6,500 annual passes for 1917 assigned employes of the division and commenced distributing them this morning. The work of preparing these passes was tremendous, it being necessary to write the name, occupation and residence of every person to whom transportation is given on the little cards designed for that purpose. The Pennsylvania is liberal in the distribution of passes to its employes. Those who have not worked long enough to entitle them to annual passes can secure trip passes for themselves and members of their families who are dependent upon them for support. Transportation of this character is quite an item also.

WATER CONDITIONS BETTER

Nickel Plate Engines Getting Supply at Leipsic

The Leipsic water system, which was put out of commission last week by a fire, has been repaired and Nickel Plate engines are again taking water there. While the water system at this point was out of commission, it was not an uncommon thing for an engine to be cut loose from its train and make a run to another water station for a supply. The recent rains also relieved the stringency somewhat elsewhere, but there is still a shortage at some places. A controversy between employes of the Bellevue water works station and the city council and officials has resulted in a threatened strike of the former, which will tie up the supply in a week or two and make the situation worse than at present.

CONNEAUT STRIKE SETTLED.

A strike of shopmen employed by the Nickel Plate at Conneaut has been settled. The men being granted a small increase in wages, it was announced in bulletins which were posted yesterday. The strike was called a couple of weeks ago and, after officials had worked in the shops for several days, strike breakers from Chicago were imported and placed in the positions left vacant by the men. These strikebreakers will remain in Conneaut for several days or until it is determined that the men intend returning to their work, it was announced. A strike of trackmen, called at the some time, and which led to the fatal shooting of one of the strikers, was settled several days ago when a small wage increase was granted.

RAILROAD WORKERS.

The American Federation of Railroad Workers conferred a distinctive honor on the treasurer of the union, Wednesday night when they re-elected him for the seventh time, the first time being when the lodge was organized. The new roster is as follows: President, H. A. Koenig; vice president, H. A. Seele; financial secretary, W. E. Shea; recording secretary, W. Melker; treasurer, F. Bultermeir. The next meeting will be held January 24.

DEATH STILL A MYSTERY

The investigation into the death of Miss Dimmie Beamer, the telephone operator at Nevada, Ohio, who was found dead on the Pennsylvania tracks at that place Wednesday night, failed to bring to light the engine or train which struck her. Every engine that passed that point prior to the finding of the body was examined, and none bore evidence of having struck the young lady. Miss Beamer was nineteen years old.

COOKS AND WAITERS.

The Cooks and Waiters will install the following officers to serve during 1917, on Wednesday evening, January 3: President, Oscar Riley; vice president, Thomas Hart; financial secretary and business agent, Charles B. McCoy; recording secretary, L. J. Davis; chaplain, Robert Hutchins; inspectors, Elizabeth Tilbury and Anna Weise; inner guard, Harry Roebuck; press agent, Phil Lotz; treasurer, H. S. Roebuck.

MASTER MECHANIC HAYS SICK.

News from Grand Rapids concerning Master Mechanic J. F. Hayes, of the G. R. & I. shops, is not very encouraging. He has been sick and unable to work for six weeks and his condition is worse this week than at any previous time since his illness began. Mr. Hayes is suffering from kidney trouble. He once lived here and is well known on the G. R. & I. road.

LEFT FOOT BADLY HURT

Abraham Hoschstedler, employed in the boiler room at the General Electric works, sustained painful injuries to his left foot this morning, when a piece of sheet metal fell upon the member. He was attended by Dr. F. J. Schulz at the factory hospital and then sent to the St. Joseph hospital. Mr. Hochstedler was assisting in handling material during inventory work, the shop being closed for that purpose.

RETURN FROM SPECIAL TRIP.

H. U. Diem, general car shop foreman; L. S. Traehsel, foreman of the cost department, and John Klingenberger, foreman of passenger repair shop, of the Pennsylvania, have returned from Altoona, where they went over a week ago on a special mission for the company. Each resumed his respective duties this morning.

MR. MUIR IS RECOVERING.

After an illness of two weeks, a part of which was very severe, J. J. Muir, mechanical superintendent of the Bass Foundry and Machine company, is up and yesterday walked outdoors for the first time at his office to resume active duties at his office next week. Mr. Muir had the grip.

HAD A TOE CRUSHED.

Boilermaker F. W. Morris, of the Pennsylvania shops, will be off duty a few days or longer as the result of a cab casting of a locomotive falling upon his left foot. One of the toes was badly crushed.

INDUSTRIAL NOTES.

L. M. Totman took a position in the Pennsylvania storeroom this morning.

C. Christ is a new laborer at the Pennsylvania blacksmith shop.

Frank Schramm, janitor at the Pennsylvania round house office, is sick and off duty.

The Linemen have completed arrangements for a dance at Tanner's hall Tuesday, January 23.

Machinist E. C. Hake, who was sick several days, resumed work at the Pennsylvania shops this morning.

Commercial Agent A. L. Gilbert, of the Wabash, left for Detroit this morning on business for the company.

Frank I. Brown, purchasing agent of the Pennsylvania, is in Pittsburg on business for the company.

E. G. Epple, Pennsylvania boilermaker, will be the guest of his brother in Lafayette over New Year's day.

W. Borcherding, a rivet heater at the Pennsylvania boiler shop, is sick and off duty.

C. Laubscher, machinist in the Pennsylvania toolroom, will go to Detroit tomorrow to spend two weeks with friends.

F. J. Guillot, crane operator at the Pennsylvania erecting shop, is off duty on account of the death of a relative.

John Shuler, the doormaker at the Pennsylvania planing mills, was kept from his duties today by an attack of the grip.

E. C. Young resigned a position at the Pennsylvania machine shop this morning to return to the farm near Roanoke.

Yard Engineer L. P. Galland, who had been sick several days, reported for work on the Pennsylvania this morning.

John Phillips, an operator at Wauseon, O., is spending holiday week with his brother, Agent A. P. Phillips, of the N. Y. C.

H. Wheatley, of the Hocking Valley road, inspected 400 car wheels at the Bass foundry today for the company he represents.

Clyde W. Yeakey, engineer, and F. W. Anglin, fireman on the G. R. & I. road, are taking a lay off to look after some private business.

The Moving Picture Operators and the Cement Workers have arranged to meet in the hall at the southwest corner of Calhoun and Lewis streets hereafter.

B. G. Denning, of the final meter inspection department at the Fort Wayne plant of the General Electric works, is in Geneva visiting for a few days.

Incoming trains on all roads were late in reaching the city today, due to heavy travel and cold weather. No accidents to trains were reported by any of the lines.

H. T. Hogan, material inspector for the Pennsylvania, has returned from a holiday visit with his daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Gustav Steglitz, of Bedford, Ind.

Herman Regel, an erecting engineer for the Bass Foundry and Machine works, is repairing the engine in the plant of Chris Diehl Brewing company at Defiance, Ohio, this week.

George W. Ellenwood, baggageman at the New York Central depot, is off duty on account of illness. Assistant Baggageman Ed Dolliham has taken charge in Mr. Ellenwood's absence.

Paul Adams returned to Buffalo yesterday to resume his duties as chief clerk to Supt. E. J. Parish, of the Nickel Plate. The young man had been visiting relatives in the city.

V. E. Watkins, assistant file clerk at the Pennsylvania motive power office, has arranged to spend the New Year's holiday with his folks at Lima, his former home.

H. A. Burson, airbrake instructor of the Pennsylvania Northwest system, is at Alliance, O., looking after some business connected with the department.

Theodore Titus, sr., retired Pennsylvania passenger engineer, and Mrs. Titus contemplate spending the latter part of the winter in Florida. They will leave for that state about the middle of January.

Blacksmith H. A. Lowmatscht, of the Pennsylvania shops, is off duty as the result of a fall on the ice. H. H. Boegel, of the same shop, is off duty on account of the death of a relative.

Passenger Engineer G. T. Burchard, of the Pennsylvania, is off duty on account of sickness. Passenger Fireman W. T. McCormick and Freight Fireman D. H. Metcalf are also sick and off duty.

W. Lucas and M. Cole resigned positions at the Pennsylvania erecting shop this morning, stating that they were going to take employment at the General Electric works. They are colored men.

P. N. Butzen, district passenger agent of the Chicago and Great Western, with headquarters in Chicago, was in Fort Wayne yesterday calling upon the various officials and stations of the steam roads.

There will be a meeting of the executive boards of all crafts affiliated with the Fort Wayne Building Trades council tonight at 7:30 o'clock in Carpenters' hall to consider matters of local importance.

Victor Fitch, formerly a clerk in the trainmaster's office of the Pennsylvania, visited the various departments yesterday and greeted old friends. He is home from Purdue university to spend the holidays.

Painters and decorators, who were at work in the waiting room, concourse and elsewhere in the Pennsylvania passenger station, have transferred operations to the ceilings and walls in Agent J. E. Ross' office and will complete work there this week.

Vice President C. T. Strawbridge, of the Bass Foundry and Machine company, returned from a business trip to St. Louis last night. R. J. Fisher, who accompanied Mr. Strawbridge, went from St. Louis to Grand Rapids and will not return home until tomorrow.

Machinist William Mason, of the Pennsylvania toolroom, and his family will entertain Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Pillins, of South Dakota, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pullins, of Kouts, Ind., for several days, the visitors being expected this evening. Mesdames Pullins are the sisters of Mr. Mason.

Passenger Conductor B. F. Stonecifer, of the L. E. & W. of trains 37 and 40, will take a New Year's day vacation, his trains being in charge of Conductor M. H. Dochterman, who has just completed a Christmas vacation. Conductor Dochterman will resume charge of trains 38 and 39 when Conductor Stonecifer returns.

"Say, don't you want to publish a truthful item today?" said Machinist John O. Bryant, of the Pennsylvania shops, this morning. "A city paper said I was going to Chicago to spend the New Year holiday," he continued. "I don't know where they got the information, but it is not correct and I would be pleased to have you say that John O. Bryant will spend New Year's day with his family at our home west of the city."

IS PIG TO TAKE TIME-HONORED PLACE OF THE LAPDOG?

MRS. FABYAN, SOCIETY LEADER, WITH ONE OF HER PRIZE PIGS; EDNA MAYO AND HER LAP DOG.

Will society abandon the lap dog?

Will it turn poor "Tootsum Tinkums" out in the cold, cold world?

Well, anyway, Mrs. Nellie Fabyan, leader of smart society in Chicago and Newport, has a new pet and it's not a dog.

Her hobby is pigs.

She has a herd of them at her country home, "Riverbank Villa," in suburban Chicago.

The ferocious looking beast in the picture is her pet and the winner of many prizes at stock shows.

DO YOU THINK BERLIN WILL STAND FOR THIS?

London Spectator Assumes to Give Peace Terms of the Allies.

London, Dec. 29.—The Spectator devotes the greater part of tomorrow's issue to answering President Wilson's question as to what are the peace terms of the entente allies. Briefly summarized the principal demands as outlined by the Spectator are:

"The peace terms are to start from the status quo before the war, thus including the evacuation of the whole of northern France, Belgium and Luxemberg, and of all lands taken from Serbia, Rumania, Russia and Montegro.

"Alsace-Lorraine is to be restored to France. The Danish portion of Schleswig-Holstein is to go to Denmark, and Posen, Polish Prussia and Austrian Poland are to be added to the new sub-kingdom of Poland, which the czar has pledged to create.

"The Slavs of Bosnia, Herzegovina, Dalmatia, Croatia, etc., are to be created into a new kingdom.

"Bohemia to be an independent state.

"The Rumania section of Transylvania to be added to Rumania.

"The whole Austrian Tyrol, plus Triest, Istria and other portions of Austria, which are Italian in blood or feeling, to be added to Italy.

"Turkey to yield Constantinople and the straits to Russia.

Armenians to be put under Russian tutelage.

"The Arabs to be freed, while Syria, Asia Minor and Mesopotamia are to be under external protection guaranteeing tranquility.

"The German colonies to remain in the hands of the entente. Moreover a money indemnity for the ruin Germany has done to Belgium, France, Serbia, Montenegro, etc.

"As regarding shipping Germany to make reparation in kind for all ships of commerce destroyed ton for ton, neutral shipping to be replaced only after all the demands of the allies has been satisfied.

"The Germany navy to be handed over and distributed among entente nations.

"As a guarantee against future war the allies are to insist upon the democratization of the German government.

"The Kiel canal to be neutralized under an international non-German commission including the entente countries, the United States and other neutrals."

THE WEATHER.

LOCAL OFFICE UNITED STATES WEATHER BUREAU.

Fort Wayne, Ind., Dec. 29, 1916.

Local data for the 24 hours ending at noon today.

Temperature at the End of Each Hour.

2:00 P.M.	28	2:00 A.M.	17
3:00 P.M.	28	3:00 A.M.	16
4:00 P.M.	27	4:00 A.M.	16
5:00 P.M.	26	5:00 A.M.	15
6:00 P.M.	26	6:00 A.M.	15
7:00 P.M.	26	7:00 A.M.	15
8:00 P.M.	24	8:00 A.M.	15
9:00 P.M.	23	9:00 A.M.	15
10:00 P.M.	21	10:00 A.M.	16
11:00 P.M.	19	11:00 A.M.	16
12:00 Midnight	18	12:00 Noon	17
1:00 A.M.	18	1:00 P.M.	18
		2:00 P.M.	18

Highest temperature yesterday, 29 degress.

Lowest this morning, 13 degrees.

Highest since the first of the month, 61 on the 4th.

Lowest since the first of the month, -3 on the 15th.

Precipitation for the 24 hours ending at noon today, none.

Precipitation since the first of the month, 2.81 inches.

Maumee river stage at 7:00 a. m. today, 8.0 feet.

Relative Humidity—

7:00 p. m. yesterday, 45 per cent.

7:00 a. m. today, 70 per cent.

Noon today, 51 per cent.

Barometer, Reduced to Sea-Level—

7:00 p. m. yesterday, 30.42 inches.

7:00 a. m. today, 30.52 inches.

Highest wind velocity, 20 miles per hour from the west at 1:07 p. m.

Sun sets today 4:21 p. m. Rises tomorrow 7:06 a. m.

OFFICIAL FORECASTS

For Fort Wayne and vicinity (radius 20 miles): Fair, slightly colder tonight; Saturday fair, continued cold.

For Indiana: Fair, slightly colder tonight; Saturday fair, continued cold.

For Ohio: Fair, somewhat colder tonight; Saturday fair.

For Lower Michigan: Generally fair tonight and Saturday, little change in temperature.

Shippers' Forecast (radius 300 miles): Protect shipments during the next 24 to 36 hours from temperatures as follows: North, -10 to 0 degrees; east, 0 to 5 degrees; south, 0 to 25 degrees; west, -10 to 0 degrees.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.

There is no well defined disturbance within the limits of the United States this morning, but an extensive area of high pressure is crested over Iowa. During the last 24 hours precipitation occurred in the eastern portion of the lake region, in the middle, South Atlantic and Gulf states, in the Plateau region and in California. Moderately high temperatures prevail along the south Atlantic and Gulf coasts, but in the other sections of the country temperatures are below the seasonal average, the weather being unusually cold in northern and northwestern districts, with the lowest temperatures 40 degrees below zero at White River, Ont., and 32 degrees below zero at Havre, Mont.

P. M'DONOUGH,
Local Forecaster.

WILL BRAVE JAIL FOR BIRTH CONTROL

Chicago Women Decide to Give Out Information and Test the Law.

Chicago, Dec. 29.—There are Chicago women who are ready to go to jail for the cause of birth control. A plan of disseminating information regarding birth control is to be put into operation in Chicago as soon as a decision is reached as to the best means.

Two hundred women and a few men met yesterday at the Chicago Woman's club to discuss the movement. Prof. Herbert L. Willett, of the University of Chicago, made a motion calling for a committee of seven to consider a way to carry on the work and report back to a future conference similar to the one of yesterday.

Practically every one who expressed himself or herself supported the proposal to give out information on the subject. Some, however, favored the distribution of printed matter. Others urged the opening of clinics in which each request for information would be treated as an individual case. The leaders in the movement seemed to favor the clinic plan.

Ready to Be Martyr.

Dr. Anna Blount offered herself "as a sacrifice" to learn how far the women might go without getting into trouble with the law. She said she was ready to give out the information publicly and lend herself to a test case. She already had been giving out the information, she said, but no one ever has seen fit to take the matter to the courts.

Lawyers who were present said they did not believe a conviction could be obtained in Illinois. The literature would have to be classified as obscene, according to Attorney John J. Sonsteby, and a jury would decide. Attorney Sigmund Zeisler advised the women to test out the case.

"I would volunteer myself," he said, "except that I have a wife and family to support, and I cannot afford to go to jail."

She Urges "Self-Control."

The one bit of discord that was thrown into the meeting was the talk of Mrs. Mary Teats. She said that what was needed was self-control and not birth control.

"If what you advise is done," said Mrs. Teats, who is a white haired, grandmotherly woman with spectacles, "it will mean the poisoning of the women, the ruining of their health and the weakening of men, so that in a few generations we shall have a race of sickly weaklings."

THINGS THAT NEVER HAPPEN

By GENE BYRNES

CLARENCE O'TOOLE AND FAMILY JUST RETURNING FROM A PICNIC—THEIR LUNCH CONSISTED OF CANNED SALMON, LEMONADE ICE CREAM CONES, DILL PICKLES AND WATERMELON—AND NOBODY DEVELOPED PTOMAINE POISONING
I'M NOT A BIT SORRY FOR EATING ALL THAT JUNK TO-DAY!
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GENE BYRNES

SAYS OUR BLUNDERS HAVE BEEN HIDDEN

School Book Writers Omit Results of Lack of Military Policy

Cincinnati, Dec. 29.—Frederick L. Huidekoper, founder of the army league of the United States, in an address before the American political science association here today charged that "almost without exception historians and writers of American school books have suppressed, with studied care the disasters which we have so often suffered and the blunders we have committed owing to a total absence of a proper military policy."

Mr. Huidkoper who was addressing the conference on naval and military administration in the U. S. held under the auspices of the Science association prefaced his remarks by saying: "The United States never had a military policy or anything approaching one, unless an unlimited capacity for blundering in military matters may be called a policy."

The arguments of the "pussyfists" as he termed the pacifists that compulsory military service is contrary to American ideas, was arraigned by the speakers, as "without a vestige of truth."

"The voluntary system" he continued "is the most plutocratic of all systems; history including our own, shows that it invariably breaks down under the stress of war."

Mr. Huidkoper concluded his remarks with a statement of what he considered the needs of the army and navy featuring his remarks with a plea for compulsory universal service for the youth of the country whose ages ranged between 19 and 23 years.

ADDITIONAL MARKETS

Chicago Cash Grain.

Chicago, Dec. 29.—Wheat: No. 2 red, nominal; No. 3 red, nominal; No. 2 hard, $1.79½; No. 3 hard, nominal.

Corn—No. 2 yellow, 93@94c; No. 4 yellow, 89½@90½c; No. 4 white, 89@90c.

Oats—No. 3 white, 51¾@51½c; standard, 52@52¾c.

Rye—No. 2, $1.36½; barley, 85c@$1.22; timothy, $3.50@5.50.

Clover, $12.00@17.00; pork, $28.50; lard, $15.15; ribs, $13.00@13.65.

Range of Prices for the Day.

Chicago, Dec. 29, 1916.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat:				
May	1.72¼	1.73⅜	1.70½	1.70⅝
July	1.38	1.39¾	1.38	1.38¼
Corn:				
May	.92¼	.93	.91⅞	.92⅛
July	.91⅝	.92⅛	.91¼	.91⅜
Oats:				
May	.53⅜	.53⅞	.53	.53⅛
July	.50⅝	.51¼	.50½	.50⅝
Pork:				
Jan		27.05	26.75	26.75
May	26.77	26.77	26.50	26.50
Lard:				
Jan	15.65	15.65	15.10	15.10
May	15.95	15.95	15.55	15.57
Ribs:				
Jan		13.75	13.62	13.65
May	14.37	14.37	14.10	14.17

Toledo Cash Grain.

Toledo, O., Dec. 29.—Wheat: Cash and December, $1.81; May, $1.81.

Cloverseed—Prime cash and December, $10.50; January, $10.50; March, $10.55.

Alsike—Prime cash and December, $11.20; March, $11.30.

Timothy—Prime cash and December, $2.42½; March, $2.57½.

NEW YORK STOCK LIST—LAST SALE

New York, Dec. 29, 1916.

Allis-Chalmers	27	H M M pfd	cts. 87⅞
Am Beet Sga	89	Inter Nickel	.. 41⅜
Am Can	46½	Inter Paper	... 45⅞
Am Car & Fdy	64½	K C Southern	.. 25⅜
Am Locomo	76⅜	Kenn Copper	.. 45¼
Am Sml & Ref	104	Lacka Steel	... 82
Am Sugar Ref	108½	Lehigh Val	.. 77¾
Am Tel & Tel	123⅜	Louis & Nash	.. 132
Am Zinc	37⅝	Max Motor Co.	47½
Anac Copper	81½	Mex Petroleum.	95
Atchison	103⅞	Miami Copper	. 39¾
Bald Locomo	57½	N Y Central	...104
Balt & Ohio	84	N Y, N H & H	50¼
Bethl Steel	525	Norf & West	..131
Butte and Spr.	45¾	No Pacific	....109¾
Cal Petroleum.	25	Pennsylvania	.. 56¾
Can Pacific	165¼	Pressed Stl Car	74⅞
Cen Leather	84½	Ray Con Cop	.. 25⅛
Chesap & Ohio	65	Reading	.....101¼
C, M & St P	91½	Rep Iron & Stl	77¾
C R I & P Ry.	34	So Pacific	.... 96¾
Chino Copper	53½	So Railway	... 31⅞
Col Fuel & Iron	44¾	Studebaker Co.	103¾
Corn Products.	22¾	Texas Co	236
Crucible Steel.	61⅜	Tenn Copper	...
Cuba Cane Sgr	48¼	Union Pacific	..147¼
D & R G pfd	40⅞	U S In Alcohol.	116¾
Erie	34	U S Rubber	.... 61⅞
Gen Electric	167	U S Steel	.....106¾
Goodrich Co	59½	U S Steel pfd	...119½
Gt Nor Ore Cts	35¼	Utah Copper	..101¾
Gt Nor pfd	117½	Wabash pfd B.	30
Illinois Central.	105⅞	West Union	... 96½
Insp Copper	56¾	Westing Elect.	54⅝
Inter Har N J.	125		

An aeroplane with seven planes arranged in a semi-circle is claimed by its French inventor to be perfectly stable.

SENTINEL WANT ADS. ALWAYS GET RESULTS.

Outbursts of Everett True

WELL, I SEE THEY'RE STILL AT IT OVER THERE IN EUROPE. SLAUGHTERING EACH OTHER.
YOU KNOW, WAR IS TERRIBLE—TERRIBLE! I WANT TO TELL YOU THAT I'M FOR PEACE—
I'M FOR PEACE, TOO! SO LET'S HAVE SOME!!

WHAT WOULD YOU SAY TO YOURSELF IF---

DO YOUR CHRISTMAS SWAPPING EARLY!

SPAIN PUTS SOME "PEP" IN PROTEST

Resents Constant Practice of German U-Boats in Destroying Prizes

Madrid, via Paris, Dec. 28.—(11:35 p. m.)—The note addressed to Germany on the submarine question by the Spanish government, reviews at length the policy of Madrid from the time the first Spanish ship, the Isidora, was torpedoed in August, 1915. It declares that the Spanish government has always maintained that it was illegal to destroy prizes, as is the constant practice of submarines, and that the cabinet also demanded the observation of the declaration of London, notably article fifty which, it is maintained, submarines violate by abandoning the crews of sunken ships to the mercy of waves far from land.

The note further recalls the vigor of the representations of the Spanish government which it says some times caused the Berlin government to be surprised at the radical attitude of Spain, whose protests, it is held, have been more energetic than those of any other neutral state, even the United States of America.

The note concludes with an announcement that further steps are being taken to avoid or diminish in future the risks to Spanish shipping.

Plans Energetic Steps

Paris, Tuesday, Dec. 26.—(Delayed)—A Havas dispatch from Madrid says the Spanish cabinet, after consideration of the torpedoing of Spanish vessels, has decided to take energetic measures to avoid the constant diminution of the country's merchant marine. Another meeting will be held to give precise form to these measures, the nature of which has not been disclosed.

PALACE

TODAY

B. F. KEITH'S

Tremendous Holiday Festival Show

Curtain Promptly at 2:30 and 8:15.

Matine Time		Night Time
2:30	Overture	8:15
2:35	World Tours.	8:20
2:50	Bernivicci Bros.	8:35
3:03	LeRoy & Harvey	8:48
3:18	Larimore & Co.	9:03
3:29	Bevan & Flint	9:14
3:47	Tilford & Co.	9:32
4:02	Chas Semon Werner.	9:47
4:22	Amoros 3.	10:07
4:41	Curtain	10:26

DAILY DIME MATINEES

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Cluny Scarfs	Japanese Crepe Kimonos	Drawn Work and Oriental Rugs
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The Oriental Store

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P. S.—Special sale on fine Georgette Crepe Waists and Ladies' Silk Hose in all colors and stripes.

ASKS LAWSON TO MAKE GOOD

(Continued From Page One.)

of the so-called leak and his prediction that there would be another.

"Put up or shut up," said Chairman Henry's telegram. "Cease slandering and libelling congress and public officials or make good your charges."

Mr. Henry announced that he would reintroduce his bill next Tuesday to regulate the New York stock exchange.

"If Mr. Lawson states the truth about Wall street and an alleged leak," he said, "it conclusively shows that the bill introduced by me in the Sixty-third congress to regulate the New York stock exchange should be speedily passed and even should be made more drastic.

"This short session should find a way to protect the American people against such crimes as the one just perpertrated by Wall street if Mr. Lawson is anywhere near the truth."

REJOINDER TO BERLIN SOON

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their legations to address to the governments of the belligerent countries notes in which the Scandinavian governments adhering to the note of President Wilson concerning measures to be adopted for facilitating a durable peace declare they would consider themselves as failing in their duty toward their respective peoples and toward humanity as a whole if they did not express their most profound sympathy with every effort which may contribute toward putting an end to the sufferings and losses, moral and material, which are ever growing in consequence of the war. The three governments in conclusion cherish the hope that the initiative taken by President Wilson will lead to a result worthy of the generous spirit which prompted this action.

A Reuter dispatch from Copenhagen says that the Danish social democrats have cabled President Wilson expressing their sympathy with his action in addressing the belligerent powers. The message also expresses the sincere wish that the president's efforts to end the war and establish a lasting peace may succeed.

EXPLAINS SWISS PART.

Had Nothing to Do With Wilson's Note, Says President.

Bologna, (Via Paris,) Dec. 28.—(11:40 p. m.)—President Schulthess, of Switzerland, has explained the part played by his country in the recent steps in favor of peace in an interivew with Signor Qualici, editor of the Resto del Carlino.

President Schulthess is quoted as saying "Switzerland had nothing whatever to do with President Wilson's note. The federal council got into communication with the American government in order to learn if the latter intended to do anything in favor of peace and simply received a copy of the note at the same time as the belligerents. The council has decided to support the note, inspired by an ardent desire to see a termination rapidly put to the suffering caused by this terrible war, of which the Swiss people has daily evidence in the shape of interned invalids and civilians from places ordered evacuated.

"I do not know what will be the fate of the neutral proposals and in any case Switzerland has no intention of interfering with the affairs of the belligerents. But she considers it her duty to make it plain that she is ready to help to exchange views in event of its seeming desirable."

The president said that he was astonished at the rumors of fears of the violation of Swiss neutrality.

"I cannot conceive," he said, "that any of the belligerents harbor the idea of passing through our country. It would not be to their advantage. In addition to the great difficulties of terrain they would be confronted with the vigorous resistance of the Swiss army and the whole people. My country knows only one neutrality—absolutely neutrality. Let there be no mistake. In the presence of external danger, no matter from what side it comes, Switzerland will be united, notwithtsanding difference in race and language."

ANSWER TO BE MADE TUESDAY

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—Secretary Lane, J. R. Mott and Judge George Gray. Early next week, at a joint session of the Mexican-American commission, the Americans will give the Mexicans their answer.

Those who have been in touch with Carranza's representatives asserted that in his latest communication he expressed a willingness to ratify the agreement if a more definite date for the troop withdrawal were specified and if a more lenient attitude were displayed toward the question of increased bandit activity.

The report persisted today that Ambassador Designate Arredondo had been recalled and that he would be succeeded by Consul de Negri, of San Francisco. Mr. Arredondo denied the story categorically.

COLUMBIA SATURDAY SPECIAL

Brazil glace, 30c lb.; regular price 50c.

COLUMBIA CANDY KITCHEN.

GERMANS IN A NEW DRIVE

(Continued From Page One.)

The advance in Wallachia has been pushed to a distance of 20 kilometers northwest of Rimnik-Sarat. In the lake sector 1,400 Russians, three cannon and several machine guns were taken. The town of Ratchelum, in Dobrudja, has been captured.

The Official Statement.

Today's official statement from army headquarters on operations along the Russian front says:

"Eastern front—Front of Prince Leopold: There is nothing important to report."

The official statement said: "Front of Archduke Joseph: The southern wing of the army group commanded by Infantry General Gerok in co-ordination with movements in great Wallachia, has advanced eastward in the mountains. German and Austro-Hungarian troops in the intersected highland terrain of the Transylvanian eastern front captured by storm and hand to hand fighting several positions lying one behind the other. Fourteen hundred Russians and Rumanians weer made prisoner and eighteen machine guns and three cannon captured.

"Army group of field Marshal von Mackensen: On the left wing of the 9th army Bavarian and Austro-Hungarian troops commanded by Lieut. Gen. Krafft von Delmensingen, broke the strong resistance of the allied adversaries in the mountains and reached Dumitresti, 20 kilos northwest of Rimnik Sarat. The right wing of the army advanced northwestward between the Rimnik sector and the course of the Buzue captured several tenaciously defended villages and gave the retreating Russians no time to settle themselves in the prepared position in the lakes sector. In these engagements in West Prussian regiment No. 130 gained distinction.

"The prisoners brought in on Dec. 28 number 1,400 Russians and the booty three cannons and several machine guns.

"In Dobrudja, Ratchelu has been captured."

From Somme to Verdun

On the Verdun front yesterday German troops transferred from the Somme front entered French positions on hill 304 and on the southern slope of Deadman hill, the war office announces.

The Germans advanced to the second and third French positions capturing seven machine guns. Several French counter attacks were repulsed, the statement says. The Germans brought back 220 prisoners.

ATTACK NEAR VERDUN.

Paris, Dec. 29.—German troops last night delivered an attack in strong force on a three-kilometer front between hill 304 and Deadman's hill northwest of Verdun, the war office announced today. The French infantry and machine gun fire broke the attack, but one of the French trenches south of Deadman's hill being penetrated and this only by a few hostile troops.

The attack was delivered after long and violent artillery preparation. North of Verdun, on the right bank of the Meuse, a strong German reconnaissance was dispersed east of Hardaumont.

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THE AEROPLANE HAT.

BY BETTY BROWN.

The aeroplane is so new to our unaccustomed eye it seems odd—dare we say freaky. But it will be the semi-dress hat of late winter. This model, with the far-flung brim, is from Fashion Art Magazine. It is dark taupe color velvet, with just those curly feathers to trim it.

The sports blouse is made on the new tailored lines. It is wash satin in delicate green. Black velvet tabs and novelty buttons of green and white trim it smartly.

CARS LATE IN COMING

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started for their homes as best they could, some going on steam roads and some by interurban. Word received here today was to the effect that the units of Indiana troops at Llano Grande, ordered home after the Third Indiana arrived at Fort Harrison entrained today. The First and Second regiments, however, will remain in camp there.

The men mustered out today received approximately a month's pay of $14.50 and some allowance for clothing.

Letter from Baker.

A letter to Col. Aubrey L. Kuhlman, commanding officer, from Newton 1. Baker, secretary of war, was read to the soldiers before they departed for their homes. The letter follows:

"I wish to thank you and the officers and men of your organization who went to the border in response to the call of the president for the valuable service yyou have rendered to the country.

"When the National Guard was called into the service of the federal government, the lives of men, women and children along the frontier were in grave danger, owing to the formidable bandit raids from the Mexican side of the boundary. It is not too much to say that had these raids continued there was danger of international war.

"From the time of the arrival of the units of the National Guard on the border, the raids ceased, and the tension between the two countrires began to relax.

"It is the houe and belief of the government that the presence of the units of the National Guard, together with the units of the regular army, on the border and in Mexico, and the presence in mobilization camps of the units of the National Guard in readiness for such service, has made possible a peaceful solution of a difficult and threatening problem.

Where They Will Go.

The headquartrers company and the machine gun company, two new organizations created since the call last summer, will lhave headquarters at Warsaw. The supply company will have headquarters at Auburn. Company B, of Angola, and company K, of Auburn, will be the first to leave. The other companies departed during the day. They are company D, Kendallville; company G, Portland; company C, Monticello; company I, Plymouth; company L, Valparaiso; company M, Rensselaer; company A, Albion; company E, Elkhart; company F, South Bend; company H, Warsaw, and the regimental infirmary, Angola.

HORSE BREEDERS TO MEET.

Belgian Horse Raisers Especially Urged to Attend.

There will be a meeting of Allen county horse breeders at 1 o'clock Saturday afternoon in the office of A. J. Hutchins, county agent. Especially are Belgian horse breeders asked to the meeting but attendance is in no way confined to that class of breeders. Recently an attempt was made to organize the Belgian horse breeders of the county into an association, but later plans for such an organization were dropped until after the holidays.

HAND-A-CURA

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The Friend of Hands That Work

—2 oz. 15c——4 oz. 25c—

The merit of HAND-A-CURA does not lie in the fact that we prepare and sell it exclusively, but in the fact that we are too high principled to prepare HAND-A-CURA out of any but the purest, best and freshest drugs. In other words, HAND-A-CURA has a character, and one so good that before we did a word of advertising for it, it had already won many staunch and loyal friends.

For Chapped, Sore Hands HAND-A-CURA Is a blessing. We do not recommend it particularly as a beauty cream, but for sore hands, hands that work and need medicine to keep them in good healthy condition, we cannot recommend it too highly. That's the reason we refer to it as "the friend of hands that work."

There Are Imitations Gotten Out by Imitators But There Is Only One HAND-A-CURA and Only One Place to Buy It.

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Reliable Cut Rate Drug Store at the Transfer Corner.

DOINGS OF THE DUFFS

TOM SHOULD HAVE ORDERED A TAXI FOR THE POOR GUY.

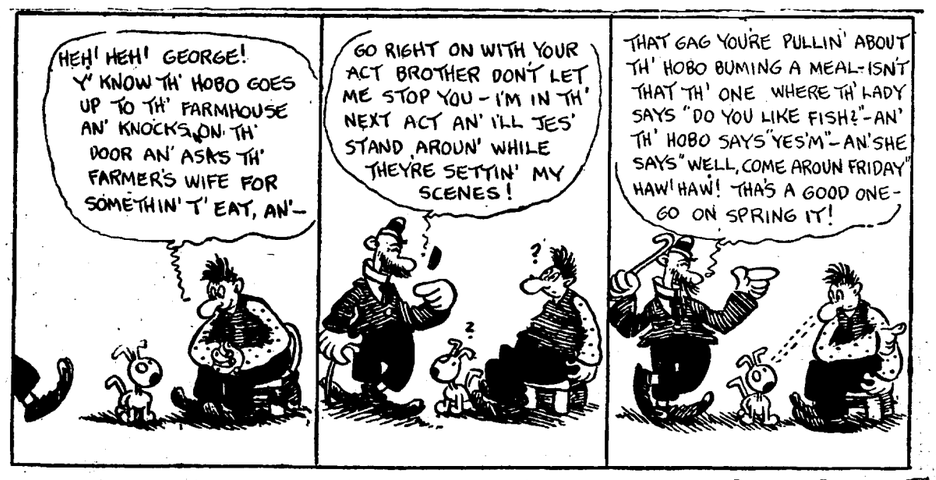
By Allman

I CAN TELL BY THE LOOK ON YOUR FACE THAT YOU HAVEN'T FOUND A JOB YET - WELL, I FIXED IT UP WITH THE BOSS TO GIVE YOU YOUR OLD JOB BACK - NOW GO UP TO THE OFFICE AND GET TO WORK -
TOM, YOU'RE A PRINCE
SAY, PARDNER, WOULD YOU HELP A POOR BOY OUT, THAT WAS A STRANGER IN THE CITY AND DIDN'T HAVE NO JOB?
SO YOU'RE OUT OF A JOB TOO? WELL, I'LL SEE WHAT I CAN DO
I THANK YOU OLD PAL, YOU'RE A PRINCE - SAY, CAN YOU TELL ME WHERE IS THE NEAREST SALOON AROUND HERE?
JUST AS I EXPECTED - WELL, THE NEAREST ONE IS RIGHT ACROSS THE STREET - IF YOU MUST
IS THAT THE NEAREST ONE? GEE THIS TOWN IS SPREAD OUT!

SQUIRREL FOOD

WE SUSPECT BALMY BENNY OF HIRING THIS FELLOW TO PUT 'EM OVER.

By Ahern


HEH! HEH! GEORGE! Y' KNOW TH' HOBO GOES UP TO TH' FARMHOUSE AN' KNOCKS ON TH' DOOR AN' ASKS TH' FARMER'S WIFE FOR SOMETHIN' T' EAT, AN'-
GO RIGHT ON WITH YOUR ACT BROTHER DON'T LET ME STOP YOU - I'M IN TH' NEXT ACT AN' I'LL JES' STAND AROUN' WHILE THEY'RE SETTIN' MY SCENES!
THAT GAG YOU'RE PULLIN' ABOUT TH' HOBO BUMING A MEAL - ISN'T THAT TH' ONE WHERE TH' LADY SAYS "DO YOU LIKE FISH?" - AN' TH' HOBO SAYS "YES'M" - AN' SHE SAYS "WELL, COME AROUN FRIDAY" HAW! HAW! THA'S A GOOD ONE - GO ON SPRING IT!
HE HAD ANOTHER ONE HE WAS GONNA SPRING ABOUT TH' COFFEE POT AN' KETTLE SINGING - AN' YOU WERE SUPPOSED TO SAY - 'NOTHING STRANGE ABOUT THAT BENNY" - AN'
THEN HE SAYS "BUT GEORGE THEY WERE SINGING FOR A WAGER, AN' I CAN PROVE IT" - AN' YOU SAY "WHY BENNY, YOU'RE CRAZY; HOW CAN YOU PROVE IT?"
AN' THEN BENNY RESNORTS, "EASY LIKE THAT GEORGE, BECAUSE TH' FRYIN' PAN WAS IN TH' MIDDLE HOLDING TH' STEAKS" - HAW! NOT BAD! - NOT BAD! NOT 'ALF BAD!

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MILLER MISSES PRICE OF WHEAT 13 CENTS

Price Goes Up Ten Cents a Bushel Instead of Three Cents Down.

One of the leading millers of the city, with headquarters on Barr street, stated Thursday that the price of wheat would go down 3 cents a bushel by Friday. Instead before the close of the markets Thursday the price jumped up 10 cents on the bushel. This goes to show how unsteady the wheat market is at the present time. Speculation in big trading centers has made the wheat market an unsafe proposition and dealers are handling the grain with careful fingers.

Friday millers would make no predictions. They state that one hour the price is up and the next five minutes it is down again. Flour prices have not been changed materially, as it is expected that the price of wheat may go lower in a few days.

Other prices remained unchanged and receipts were small. Live stock market prices were the same. The egg market, as well as the poultry market, is beginning to show more action than usual.

THE MARKETS.

TWELFTH DISTRICT PRICES.

Grain, Hay and Feed.

Wheat—$1.68@1.70 bu.
Rye—$1.10@1.25 bu.
Oats—50c bu.
Barley—70c bu.
Corn—85@90c bu.

RETAIL STREET MARKET.

Eggs—Strictly fresh (candled), 47c doz.
doz.
Butter—Country butter, 39c lb.
Poultry—Chickens, 18@24c lb.
Potatoes—$1.90 bu.

Wholesale Barr Street Market.

Eggs—40@42c doz.
Chickens—14@15c lb.
Lard—16@17c lb.
Butter—35c lb.
Hogs—$9.00@10.00.
Wool—Unwashed, 40c lb.
Wheat—$1.68@1.70 bu.
Corn—88@91c bu.
Hay—$10.00@12.00.

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Eckert Packing Co.
(Corrected Daily by E. A. Walker.)

HOGS—
170 to 250 lbs.....$10.00
140 to 150 lbs..... 9.75
120 to 130 lbs..... 9.00

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS.

C. Tresselt & Co.

Wheat—$1.68 bu.
Rye—$1.10@1.25 bu.
Oats—47c bu.
Corn—82c bu.
Barley—75c bu.
Flour—Winter wheat straight (Hungarian), $8.60@9.20 per bbl; winter wheat, patent (Silver Dollar), $9.20@9.80 bbl.
Little Turtle Flour—$8.40@9.00.
Rye—Pure rye flour, $8.00@8.60.
Bran—$32.00@34.00 per ton.
Shorts—$32.00@34.00 per ton.
Middlings—$34.00@36.00 per ton.
Chopfeed—$46.00@48.00 ton.
Cornmeal—Bolted, $2.60@2.70 per cwt; coarse, $2.50@2.60 per cwt.
Cracked Corn—$2.50@2.60 per cwt.
Screenings—$26.00@28.00 per ton.
Small Wheat—$2.60 per cwt.

MAYFLOWER MILLS.

Wheat—$1.70 bu.
Corn—80c bu.
Oats—50c bu.
Rye—$1.25 bu.
Barley—60c bu.
Flour—Winter wheat (straight), $8.60@9.00 bbl; Newveno flour, $9.40@10.00 bbl; Silver Dust flour, $8.80@9.20; rye flour, $6.60@7.00.
Chopfeed—$35.00 ton.
Middlings—$35 ton.
Bran—$30 ton.

GLOBE MILLS QUOTATIONS.

Wheat—$1.68 bu; corn, 82c bu; oats, 47c bu; rye, $1.10@1.25 bu; barley, 75c bu; Jumbo poultry feed, $30.00@40.00 ton; salt per bbl, $1.25.
$8.40; bleached straight winter wheat (Holiday), $8.80 per bbl; Gold Lace, $8.60 per bbl; Graham flour, $8.40@9.00; @9.60 ped bbl; Graham flour, $8.40@9.00; Pumpernickel flour, $7.80 bbl; bran, $34.00 @35.00 ton; cornmeal (bolted), $3.00 cwt; cornmeal (coarse), $2.00@2.40 cwt.

HIDES, WOOL, ROOTS, ETC.

(Weil Bros. & Co.)

Hides—Green, 16c per lb; cured, light and heavy, 23c per lb; green calfskin, 30c per lb; cured calfskin, 35@40c per lb.
Horsehides—$9.00 and down.
Wild Ginseng Root—$9.00 and down.
Cultivated Ginseng Root—$5.00 and down to $2.50 for inferior
Golden Seal Root (dry)—$4.50 and down.
Wool—No. 1 unwashed, 40c per lb.
No. 1 Edible Tallow—12c per lb.
Extra Choice Tallow—11c per lb.
No. 1 Prime Tallow—10c per lb.
B. Tallow—9½c per lb.
No. 2 Tallow—8@8½c per lb.
White Grease—10c and down per lb.
Yellow Grease—8@9c per lb.
Brown Grease—7@8c per lb.

MAIER HIDE AND FUR CO.

No. 1 green hides—17c per lb.
No. 1 calfskin, cured—28@29c lb.
No. - calfskin, cured—33c lb.
No. 1 calfskin, green—30c.
No. 1 horsehides—$9.00 and down.
Pelts, according to quality, 50c to $2.00.
Wild Ginseng—$8.00@9.00.
Golden Seal Root—$4.50@5.00.
Wool—35@39c per lb.

FEED QUOTATIONS.

(Corrected by W. D. Henderson & Co.)

New Timothy—$10.00@12.00 ton.
Corn—85@90c bu.
Oats—50c bu.
Barley—70@75c bu.

PRODUCE QUOTATIONS.

(Ackerman-Weiner Co.—Corrected by C. M. Weiner.)

Butter—Country roll, 30@35c.
Fresh eggs, per doz, 40@42c.
Potatoes—$4.25@4.50 per sack.
Chickens—Young or old, 15c lb.

BEYER BROTHERS' QUOTATIONS.

(Corrected Daily by George Crouse. Subject to change without notice.)

Michigan potatoes, per 10-peck bag, $4.50@4.75.
Apples—Fancy No. 1 Michigan, $3.00@4.00 bbl.
Onions—No. 1 yellow, per cwt, $2.50@3.00; No. 2 yellow, per cwt, $1.50@2.00.
Lemons—300, California, per box, $6.00.
Oranges—$5.00@5.50 box.

CITY SCALES.

Hay—Receipts, 26 loads; $10.00@12.00 ton.
Corn—Receipts, 5 loads; 88@91c bu.
Oats—Receipts, 4 loads; 53@55c bu.

POULTRY PRICES.

(Sherman White Co.)

Hens—4 lbs and over, 14c.
Springers—15c lb.
Old roosters—8c.
Butter fat—40c.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS.

Chicago, Dec. 29.—Continued urgency of export demand rallied the wheat market today after an early decline. Dispatches from Liverpool, referring to a scarcity of supplies there and showing an advance in quotations tended also to give an advantage to the bulls. Opening prices which ranged from unchanged to 1 cent lower, with May at $1.72¾@1.73 and July at $1.38@1.38⅞, were followed by moderate further losses and then a rise all around to well above yesterday's finish.

Corn hardened owing to opinions expressed that the high prices of hogs warranted an advance. After opening ⅜@½c up the market sagged a little, then scored a decided upturn.

Oats paralleled the action of corn. Lower quotations on hogs pulled down provisions.

Toledo Closing Prices.

Toledo, O., Dec. 29.—Close: Wheat—Cash, $1.81; December, $1.81; May, $1.81.
Corn—Cash, 97c; December, 97c; May, 94⅝c.
Oats—Cash, 54½c; December, 54½c; May, 56¼c.
Rye—Cash, $1.38.

New York Grain and Provisions.

New York, Dec. 29.—Flour market was firm; spring patents, $8.80@9.05; winter patents, $8.20@8.40; winter straights, $7.95 @8.20; Kansas straights, $8.70@8.90.

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

East Buffalo Market.

East Buffalo, N. Y., Dec. 29.—Hogs: Receipts, 4,800 head; shipments, 1,900 head; official shipments to New York yesterday, 760 head; hogs closing slow; medium and heavies, $10.90@11.00; Yorkers, $10.75@11.00; pigs, $9.50@9.75; roughs, $9.50@9.75; stags, $7.50@8.50.
Cattle—Receipts, 200 head; market was steady.
Sheep—Receipts, 1,600 head; market was strong; top lambs, $14.00.

Chicago Market.

Chicago, Dec. 29.—Hogs: Receipts, 44,000 head; market was slow, 5c to 10c under yesterday's average; bulk, $10.20@10.60; light, $9.65@10.40; mixed, $10.10@10.65; heavy, $10.15@10.65; rough, $10.10@10.30; pigs, $7.60@9.35.
Cattle—Receipts, 4,500 head; market was strong; cattle, $7.25@11.80; western steers, $7.25@10.00; stockers and feeders, $5.25@8.15; cows and heifers, $4.25@10.00; calves, $8.50@12.50.
Sheep—Receipts, 9,000 head; market was steady; wethers, $9.10@10.25; lambs, $11.25@13.50.

Pittsburg Market.

Pittsburg, Dec. 29.—Hogs: Receipts, 1,000 head; market was higher; heavies, $11.00@11.10; heavy Yorkers, $10.75@10.95; light Yorkers, $10.00@10.25; pigs, $9.25 @9.75.
Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 500 head; market was steady; top sheep, $9.25; top lambs, $13.65.
Calves—Receipts, 200 head; market was steady; top, $14.00.

Indianapolis Market.

Indianapolis, Dec. 29.—Hogs: Receipts, 14,000; cattle, 1,100; calves, 500; sheep, 350.
Hogs—Best heavies, $10.50@10.90; medium and mixed, $10.30@10.70; bulk of sales, $10.30@10.70.

PRODUCE AND PAULTRY.

New York Market.

New York, Dec. 29.—Butter market was steady; receipts, 7,218 tubs.
Eggs—Market was steady; receipts, 6,996 cases; extra firsts, 48@49c; firsts, 46@47c.
Poultry—Alive, firm; chickens, 20@21c; fowls, 20@21½c; turkeys, 28@30c; dressed, quiet; prices unchanged.

Chicago Market.

Chicago, Dec. 29.—Butter market was higher; creamery, 32@39c.
Eggs—Receipts, 3,005 cases; market was unchanged.
Potatoes—Receipts, 20 cars; market was unchanged.
Poultry—Alive, lower; fowls, 15@18c; springs, 18½c; turkeys, 23c.

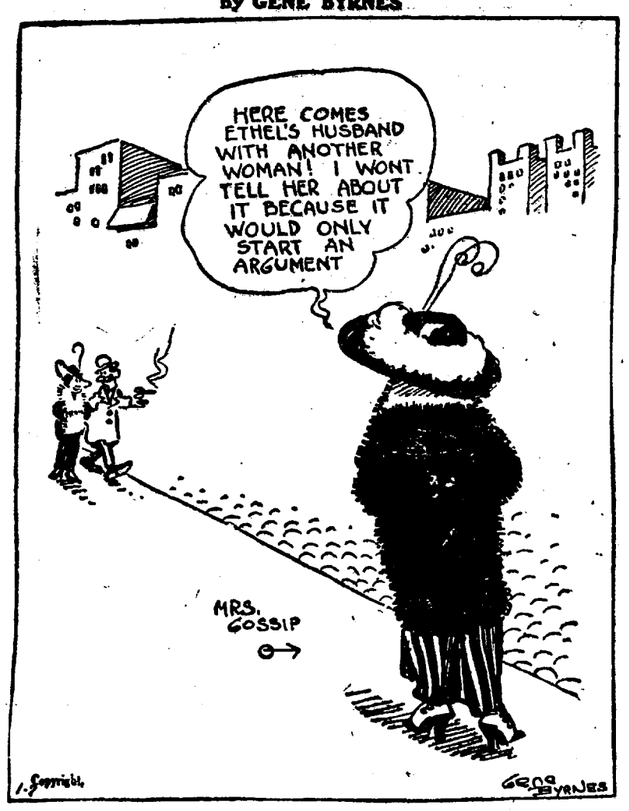
THE DAY ON WALL STREET.

New York, Dec. 29.—The final session of the year began with further pressure against the general list. United States Steel was heaviest of the prominent issues on its first offering of 3,000 shares at 103¾ and 103⅞, an extreme decline of 1¼ points. Recessions of 1 to 2 points were recorded by Union Pacific, Utah Copper, Industrial Alcohol and Cuba Cane Sugar, while Ohio Gas and Columbia Gas, affiliated utilities, were lower by 2¾ and 4 points respectively. Marines, motors and equipments also fell off moderately. Fractional gains were made by Central Leather, Atlantic Gulf and West Indies and Inspiration Copper, with 4½ points for Texas company.

It required but little buying to restore prices to yesterday's final quotations, steel, coppers and some of the purely speculative issues rebounding easily. Texas company increased its lead to 6½ points and other oils made moderate responses. Bethlehem Steel rose 20 points and the lower priced munitions and equipments also hardened. Trading became very dull on the rally until the selling of the motors provoked further heaviness. Studebaker broke 4¾ points with 2 to 5 points for Willys-Overland, Chandler General Motors and Saxon. Rails were slow and irregular. Bonds were firm.

THINGS THAT NEVER HAPPEN

By GENE BYRNES


HERE COMES ETHEL'S HUSBAND WITH ANOTHER WOMAN! I WONT TELL HER ABOUT IT BECAUSE IT WOULD ONLY START AN ARGUMENT
MRS. GOSSIP
GENE BYRNES

DRIFTED ALL NIGHT ABOARD OPEN BOATS

Crew and 126 Passengers Periled When Russian Ship Hits Mine.

New York, Dec. 29.—The Russian steamer Kursk, while bound from Archangel, Russia for New York with 126 passengers aboard, hit a mine on Nov. 29, off Kirkwall, Scotland. One passenger and two members of the crew were drowned while life boats were being launched.

Part of the Kursk's stern was torn off by the explosion and she was later towed into Kirkwall by English patrol boats. Her passengers and crew drifted all night in open boats. The news of the accident was brought here today by the rescued passengers who arrived on the steamship Lapland from Liverpool.

The Kursk hit the mine about 11 o'clock at night and it was 6 a. m. the next day before the English patrol boats found the steamship's drifting life boats. There were 17 American horse men returning from Archangel among the passengers.

CRUDE OIL AT TOP PRICE.

Pennsylvania Product Reaches $2.85 Per Barrel at Pittsburg.

Pittsburg, Pa., Dec. 29.—The highest price ever quoted for Pennsylvania crude oil was announced by the principal purchasing agencies today when through an advance of 10 cents a barrel, the quotation reached $2.85. Other grades were each advanced five cents, except Ragland, which remained at 95 cents. The advance was brought about by the continued demand of refiners, who declare that there is an abundance of oil above ground, but producers are holding it for still higher prices. Some of them are quoted as declaring that not until $3 oil has been reached will they release their stocks.

Outbursts of Everett True

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SO, THIS IS THE WAY YOU RESIST THE HIGH PRICES, EH? ADVISE OTHERS TO CUT OUT MEAT AND EGGS AND THEN SNEAK AROUND TO A PLACE LIKE THIS AND STUFF YOURSELF WITH BOTH!

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—Young girl for light housework, no laundry work, to go home nights. Call mornings, 910 W. Berry, second floor. 29-2t

WANTED—Girls 15 years and older. Wayne Knitting Mills. 29-2t

WANTED—A good dishwasher. 1516 South Calhoun St. 12-21-tf

EITHER SEX.

WANTED—People to borrow money on their diamonds, watches and jewelry, low rates, long time. Ft. Wayne Credit Co., 1221 Calhoun. Phone 535. 11-14-tf

WANTED SITUATION.

WANTED—A lady with 20 years' department store experience wants a job with a Fort Wayne firm. Postoffice box 169, city.

MISCELLANEOUS.

H. GOLDSTINE—Umbrellas and parasols repaired and re-covered. Fancy parasols made to order. Work called for and delivered. Telephone 2434. 280 East Main street, Fort Wayne, Ind. 2-1-tf

WANTED—Watch clock and jewelry repairing at reduced prices. Wayne Littlefield jewelry store, successor to Dallas F. Green, 208 West Berry street. 5-9-tf

WANTED—Second-hand pianos in exchange for Columbia Grafonolas. Jacobs Music House, 1021-1023 Calhoun street. 7-11-tf

WANTED—Light and heavy hauling, anywhere. Phone 7758 blue. 15-tf

New York Sugar Market.

New York, Dec. 29.—Raw sugar, firm; centrifugal, 5.14; molasses, 4.27; refined, quiet; fine granulated, 6.85; futures, quiet.

Help Wanted—Male

MEN—Our illustrated catalogue explains how we teach the barber trade quickly, mailed free. Moler Barber College, Indianapolis, Ind. 12-29-1mo

MEN—Our illustrated catalogue explains how we teach the barber trade quickly, mailed free. Moler Barber College, Indianapolis, Ind. 12-3-1mo

WANTED—Boy to carry route in Spy Run. Apply to Circulation Manager, Sentinel.

WANTED—Boy with bicycle. Reiley's drug store, 2012 Fairfield Ave. 12-18-tf

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—HOMES.

FOR RENT—Modern seven-room house, half square from Creighton Ave., 2223 Winter St.; good paved street. Phone 2593. 12-19-tf

FOR RENT—7-room modern house, 1213 Webster St.; rent $33.50. Phone 2857 black. 29-4t

FOR RENT—6-room new house, bath and furnace, corner Green and Reed, $25.00 per month. Phone 3650. 12-16-tf

FOR RENT—FLATS.

FOR RENT—Upper flat, corner Fairfield and Jefferson. Inquire 1117 Fairfield. Tel. 1638 black. 28-2t

STORE AND OFFICE ROOMS.

FOR RENT—Two modern office rooms, heat and light furnished. 218 West Washington. Modern flat, heat furnished. 918 West Berry St.
SCHRADER & WILSON, Main and Court, first floor. 8-28-tf

FOR RENT—Part of office and stock or work room, good business location. Phone 3178. 12-22-eod-tf

FOR RENT—Office rooms, first-class, 130 W. Wayne St. Inquire at Dr. Havice. 12-19-tf

MISCELLANEOUS.

FOR RENT OR STORAGE—I have room for storeing two automobiles for winter in fine place where I keep my own, and will always give same attention I do my own: rent very reasonable. Address 2310 John St. Phone 6084 blue. 11-23-tf

Lost and Found

LOST—Ladies' gold watch, "F. H. D." on back, also gold pin for same. Reward. Phone 3488. 813 Fulton St. 27-3t

LOST—First National bank book. Return 912 Eliza street. Reward. 28-3t

STRAYED—Long-haired, black and tan pup, from 717 E. Lewis street. Reward. 25-2t

Rooms for Rent

FOR RENT—2 or 3 unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping, modern, or will furnish for sleeping rooms. Inquire 2018 S. Harrison, or in person to Mr. Druley at Packard House Furnishing Co. on Columbia St. No phone calls answered.

FOR RENT—One large room, unfurnished, downstairs, for light housekeeping, private entrance. 413 Madison St. 28-2t

BUYS MOVIE HOUSE

Edson Theatre on South Calhoun Re-Opened Under New Management

Some days ago C. S. Downey, 2711 Hoagland avenue, purchased the Edson theatre at the corner of Leith and Calhoun streets, which has been closed for sometime. Later a half interest was purchased by W. S. Perry, 331 West Dewald. Extensive repairs and improvements have been made to the interior of the theatre which has been re-opened under the name of the New Edson. Mr. Downey purchased the theatre from William Sweet, 731 West Superior street.

NEW YORK MOOSERS QUIT.

State and National Headquarters in Gotham Are Closed.

New York, Dec. 29.—Owing to the failure of the progressives in New York state to poll a sufficient vote in the recent elections to entitle their ticket to a place on the ballot, the party lost recognition in this state and the doors of the progressive headquarters—state and national—have been closed. At the offices of George W. Perkins, chairman of the executive committee of the national committee, the only statement of an explanatory nature forthcoming was that "there is no longer a progressive organization in this state."

AWAITS ONE ACCEPTANCE.

Tariff Commission Personnel Nearly Ready to Be Given Out.

Washington, Dec. 29.—Announcement of the members of the tariff commission will be made by President Wilson as soon as word is received from Professor Frank Taussig, of Harvard, whether he will accept one of the places.

BURGLAR IN MUTES HOME.

Mrs. James Madden, who lives in the rear flat above 1241 Wells street, did not scream for help when she saw a burglar in her apartments Thursday afternoon, because Mrs. Madden is a deaf mute. But she hastened towards the tall man who stumbled down a back stairway. Mrs. Madden found several drawers in the dresser and bureau had been ransacked. Nothing of any value was missed. Mr. Madden, who is also a mute, visited the station and interpreted the story to the police. Detective Sergeant Immel has been detailed on the case.

WILL SEND FLOWER SEED.

Congressman Cyrus Cline will send garden and flower seed to anyone writing him for it. Often persons have been sent seed who were already supplied. The seed is sent free of charge.

REAL ESTATE. | REAL ESTATE.

A Rented House Is Never a Home.

Give Your Rent Money to Yourself.

Don't continue throwing away rent money. Let us build you a home just fitted to the needs of your family. The money you now pay for rent will soon pay for it. Call and learn the stories of countless others who were formerly renters, but now have homes of their own.

City & Suburban Bldg. Co. Second Floor. Shoaff Bldg.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—HOMES.

FOR SALE—Seven rooms, bath and large garage, all new, modern improvements, inside and outside; no better location on south side; No. 3708 South Wayne avenue, second door south of Swayne avenue; lot 60 by 150 feet. Inquire at Nuttman & Co.'s bank, 125 East Main street. O. S. Hanna. 10-11-tf

FOR SALE—A two-family flat, in the southwest; good location for Electric works employes. Flats now rent for $12.00 each. Small cash payment required; your rent will take care of the balance.
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FOR SALE—Seven-room house, in west end, 50 ft. lot. Price $6,200.00.
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LOTS.

A REAL BARGAIN—Dandy strip of level and high ground, 150x147, will make 4 nice lots, joins $4,500.00 house, sewers and city water, just the thing to build houses on, handy to Bowsers, Western Gas and Pennsylvania shops; price $1,350, part cash, no agents. Address Lot Bargain, Sentinel. 29-3t

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FOR SALE—City established millinery business, very good locality. Address Millinery, Sentinel. 12-29-Fri-Mon-tf

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A $361 car, plus $15 freight, plus $80 for electric starter, plus $12.70 for changing from 3-inch to 3½ inch tires, and, if you want demountable rims add about $30 more. Shock absorbers would cost another $10 to $20; a mohair top costs $25 to $30. Oh, yes, a ventilating wind shield is $10. Change your lamps for lamps with dimmers is another outlay of $6 or more. Now you have parted with about $550 and still have a $361 car, without a speedometer. So, why not buy a

CHEVROLET

The Chevrolet has electric lights, electric starter, all 30x3½ non-skid tires; has a mohair top and ventilating wind shield. Yes, it has dimmers in the headlights. The Chevrolet, too, has a long wheel base and costs only $515, with a speedometer, delivered in your city—a saving of $35 over the $361 car. The Chevrolet has four cantilever springs and does not need shock absorbers.
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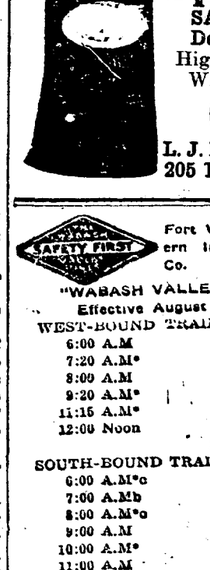

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8:00 A.M	4:00 P.M
9:20 A.M*	5:25 P.M*
11:15 A.M*	6:00 P.M
12:00 Noon	8:30 P.M*
	11:05 P.M*
SOUTH-BOUND TRAINS LEAVE—	
6:00 A.M*c	1:00 P.M
7:00 A.M*b	2:00 P.M*
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	8:00 P.M*
	10:00 P.M*
	11:00 P.M

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Ten or More Grocery Items Must Be Ordered for Delivery.

Dry Lima Beans, 10c lb, 5 lbs. for.... 45c	Black Eye Beans 10c lb, 5 lbs. for.... 45c	Extra Fancy Rice, very best, 7c lb, 4 lbs for 25c

Dressed Rabbits, each, 30c. New York Cream Cheese, the very Best, Per Pound, 25c.

Dressed Stewing Hen, Roasting Chickens, Geese, Ducks and Turkeys.

Navel Oranges dozen 15c	Bulk Cocoa, pound 19c	Gunpowder Tea, pound 35c
A Bread Flour, guaranteed, small sack $1.05	Good Coffee, 17c; sale 5 pounds 75c	
Kitchen Kleanser, 5c can; 5 for 19c	Rub-No-More Soap, 5c size, 10 bars for.. 39c	Canvas Gloves, 10c pair; 3 pair, 25c; one dozen pair 95c
Pillsbury Flour, sack $1.25	New Veno Flour sack $1.25	Gold Medal Flour, sack.... $1.25

Seeded Raisins, 2 pkgs., 25c.
Fancy Prunes, 2 lbs. 25c.
Mince Meat, 10c. 3 pkgs., 25c.
Granulated Sugar, 7½c lb.
25-lb. sack, $1.85.
Rolled Oats, 5-lb. sack, 25c.
Flake Hominy, 4 lbs. 25c.
Pearl Hominy, 6 lbs. 25c.

Heiny's Market, 1418 Calhoun Street.

Rib Roasts, Oven Roasts, Chuck Roasts and Pot Roasts, your choice, lb., 15c.
Pork Shoulder, lb., 14½c.
Hamburg Steak, lb., 12½c.
Porterhouse and Sirloin Steaks, lb., 18c.

Armour's Best Margarine Butter, 5-lb. carton, $1.25.
Swift Margarine, 2 lbs. for 50c.
Nice Comb Honey, 19c lb.
Apple Butter, quart jar, 25c.
Fresh Cornmeal, sack, 10c.
Navy Beans, 2 lbs., 25c.
Chili Beans, 2 lbs., 25c.

Fruit House Prices

5 lbs. Granulated CANE Sugar, with your week-end order...35c
White's Lily Quality Flour, sack $1.15
Gold Medal Flour, sack..... $1.25
Table Syrup, gallon cans.....45c
Golden Rio Coffee, lb.....15c
Arbuckle's Yuban Coffee, lb...35c
Pure Breakfast Cocoa, lb.....22c
Baltimore Oysters, quart.....45c
Selected Cod Fish, 2-lb. bricks, 25c
Apple Butter, jar 15c
Seeded Raisins, pkg.....12½c
Sugar Corn, can.....10c
Early June Peas, can.....10c
Fancy Tomatoes, can 10c
Alaska Salmon, can.....12½c
German Sauerkraut, can....12½c
Hominy, pkg. 10c
Red D Cut Macaroni, pkg.....10c
Peanut Butter, rich quality, lb. 15c
Fancy Head Rice, lb.....7c
Holland Herring, keg $1.05
Best Rolled Oats, lb.....5c

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POULTRY

is going to very scarce. Will have an extra lot of Dressed Chickens. Please place your order early and play safe.
Oysters, Select, per pt.....25c
Celery, Kalamazoo, per bunch....10c
Cranberries, per lb.....12c
Oranges, Navels, per doz.....25c
Oranges, Florida, per doz.....
Bananas, per doz.....25c
Mixed Nuts, per lb.....22c
Mince Meat, home-made, 2 lbs...25c
Honey, Clover Bloom, per lb.....20c
Eggs, Best Storage, per doz.....36c
Oleomargarine, with coloring, per pound 25c
Potatoes, Michigan, per pk.....50c
Flour, Special, per sack.....$1.10
Gran. Sugar, 10 lbs.....75c
Macaroni, broken, 3 lbs.....25c
Maxie Pancake Flour, 3 pkgs.....25c
Old-fashion Buckwheat, 5 lbs....35c
Green or Wax Beans, 2 cans.....25c
Asparagus Tips, per can.....20c
Red Beets, 10c, 3 cans.....25c

Scheele Meat Market

1218 Maumee Ave.

Pork Shoulders, lb.....15c
Pork Loins, lb.....17c
Pork Chops, lb.....18c
Pork Roast, lb...17c and 18c
Fresh Side Pork, lb.....17c
Fresh Pork Sausage, lb. 15c
Fresh Liver Sausage, 10c lb.; 3 lbs.....25c
Smoked Pork Sausage and Pladtdeutch, lb.....18c
Bologna and Garlic Sausage, lb. 13c
Large Frankfurters, lb. 15c
Fresh Hamburger, lb....15c

LARD.

2-lb. Pails 35c
3-lb. Pails 50c
5-lb. Pails 85c
10-lb. Pails $1.70
Bulk Lard, lb.....18c

Phone 2389.

SEES THE END OF GASOLINE SUPPLY

Then Eases Tension by Estimate on Available Crude Oil.

Chicago, Dec. 29.—A note of alarm as to the gasoline supply of the country was sounded at the convention of the Society of Agriculture Engineers today by Dr. Oscar E. Bransky, of the Standard Oil company.

He declared that production was not keeping pace with consumption and that exhaustion of the supply was drawing near. The tension was considerably relieved, however, when it was calculated that the estimated remaining supply of crude oil, visible and invisible, 7,629,000,000 barrels in all, would last 138 years longer at the 1916 rate of consumption of 55,000,000 barrels.

Dr. Bransky said next year there will be 3,000,000 automobiles in operation in the United States, or 750,000 more than this year. He estimated that eastern oil fields are 75 per cent exhausted; mid continnetal field, 50 per cent; Texas fields, 80 per cent, and the California fields, 35 per cent exhausted.

SOCIETY

Miss Margaret Strieder entertained a few girl friends at the Palace on Friday and with refreshments afterwards.

Mrs. Reuben S. Patterson and son, and her niece, Miss Vogel, left on Friday for Los Angeles, Cal., for the winter.

Miss Grace Romary is to dance at Minuet hall at New Year's entertainments.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Thiebald, of Kalamazoo, Mich., are visiting her sister, Mrs. William Kappel, of South Broadway, over New Year's.

HALT TRAIN TO FIGHT FIRE.

Attica, Ind., Dec. 29.—When the engineer on Wabash train No. 51 saw flames bursting from the roof of a farm house, near the railroad track, early today, east of Riverside, he stopped his train, organized a bucket brigade of the train crew and some of the passengers, and extinguished the blaze before much damage had been done. The house was owned by a farmer named Edwards. The occupants did not know it was burning until the volunteer bucket brigade arrived.

BISHOP'S FUNERAL HELD

Grand Rapids, Mich., Dec. 29.—Roman Catholic dignitaries from many states attended the funeral of Bishop Henry Joseph Richter of Grand Rapids here today. Mayor George P. Tilma, members of the city council, city and state officials and other persons of prominence also were present at the solemn ceremonies.

The body was placed in a vault in a local cemetery.

Mrs. Charles Sovine, 712 Archer street, is confined to her home on account of sickness.

Saturday Specials AT KARN BROS.

Give us your order for your Meat wants over the holidays and be assured of strictly fresh, palatable meats.

Guaranteed Eggs 38c
Choice Beef Roasts.....12½c
Chuck Steak 15c
Flank Steak 18c
Round or Loin Steak.....18c
Fresh Lamb Stew 14c
Lamb Shoulder Chops.....18c
Veal Stew 13c
Veal Roasts or Chops.....16c-18c
Fresh Pigs' Feet.....7c
Fresh Kidneys 8c
Fresh Brains 10c
Fresh Neck Bones.....6c
Fresh Spare Ribs 13c
Lean Pork Shoulders (whole).....16c
Pork Loin Chops or Roasts.....18c
Fresh Side Pork.....17c-18c

Smoked Meats

Picnic Hams 16c
Sugar-Cured Hams 20c
Breakfast Bacon 20c-22c
Boneless Cottage Hams 23c
3-lb. Pail Lard.....52c
5-lb. Pail Lard.....85c
10-lb. Pail Lard.....$1.65
Frankfurters, Garlics, Smoked Sausage, etc.....15c

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10-pound pail Pure Lard.....$1.65
5-pound pail Pure Lard.....83c

BEEF SPECIALS

Native Beef Roasts, pound.....11c-12½c-14c
Native Beef Steak, tender, pound.....17c
Flank Steaks, no bone, pound.....18c
Fresh Ground Beef Loaf, pound.....14c

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PORK SPECIALS

Pig Pork Roasts, lean, pound.....16c
Country Style Pure Pork Sausage, pound.....15c
Fresh Spare Ribs, pound.....13c
Shoulder Ribs, pound 7c
Fresh Pigs' Feet, pound..... 7c

The National Says It Pays to Please

VEAL SPECIALS

Native Veal Roasts, pound.....16c
Veal Pockets for Stuffing, pound.....15c
Native Veal Chops, pound.....16c
Veal Brains, pound 12½c

Please Phone Your Order Early—Phone 3133

SMOKED MEAT SPECIALS

A No. 1 Sugar Cured Hams, pound.....19½c
California Hams, Sugar Cured, pound.....16c
Bacon for Seasoning, pound 16c
A No. 1 Breakfast Bacon, pound.....20c

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WORKMAN SUFFERS DEEP CUT ON HEAD

X-Ray Picture is Taken to Determine Extent of His Injuries.

Jacob Emrick, aged 44 years, employed at the power plant of the Fort Wayne and Northern Indian Traction company and residing at 819 Delaware avenue, is a patient at St. Joseph's hospital suffering from a badly lacerated scalp and other injuries. An X-ray picture was taken Thursday evening to determine the extent of his injuries.

The injured man is in a serious condition, according to the reports from the hospital, as it is feared that his skull is fractured. The picture had not been developed late Friday afternoon.

Mr. Emrick was standing at an opening in an elevator shaft and had his head in the inside of the shaft. An elevator came down with a rush, striking him on the head. Luckily he fell backward and escaped death. The accident occurred late Wednesday afternoon. He was rushed to the hospital where immediate medical attention was given him.

He was unconscious when picked up by fellow workmen, but regained consciousness soon after arriving at the hospital.

BANQUET TONIGHT.

Washburn-Crosby Flour Agents to Meet at Commercial Club.

Tonight at the Commercial club there will be a banquet of twenty agents in Indiana and Ohio of the Washburn-Crosby company, wholesale flour dealers, of Minneapolis. A branch office of the Washburn-Crosby people is maintained in Fort Wayne in the Lincoln Life building.

RESOLVE that only honest to goodness food stuffs shall find their way to your pantry shelf this year. Resolve that the Fair and Square grocery shop shall attend upon your table wants during the next twelve months. Start the New Year right and you won't get left.

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Dressed Young Turkeys from 6 to 10 lb, 33c lb
Dressed Young Chickens .....24c lb.
Dressed Rabbits, large size .....35c each
Fancy Malaga Grapes ..... 18c lb.
Fancy Large Grape Fruit 10c
Navel Oranges—Navel Oranges .....
20, 25, 30, 35, 40c Doz.
Fancy Baldwin Apples ..... 40c pk.
Gelfru and Jellycon, 3 pkgs, 25c (all flavors) .....3 pkgs, 25c
Monarch Catsup, 25c size for 15c

Quality Canned Goods.

Coast Brand Corn, two cans 25c
Hurrah Brand Tomatoes, 2 cans 25c
Baby Bunting Sugar Corn, 2 cans 25c
Central States Fine Peas, 2 cans 25c
Coast Brand Asparagus, 25c size 20c

Specials — Specials

Santa Clara Prunes, 30-40 ..... 15c
Gold Medal Flour...$1.25
Corn Flakes, 3 pkgs...23c
Gold Medal Rolled Oats, large size 23c
Skinner's Macaroni and Spaghetti (must buy) 3 pkgs.....9c

Always bear in mind that QUALITY comes first in this Store.
We deliver to all parts of the City.

Look! Look! Look!

Wee have Lots of Meat on hand and Would Like you all to Come and have the Benefit of the Low Prices this Week for it Looks to me that Meats and Lard will go Higher. What Bother me to know Where We are going to get our Hogs from now. Farmers I Wish you Would bring your Hogs in. You all know they are 3 more Packing Houses here that Will buy your Hogs. They all Will Treat you Right and So Will Wee. Now Come in With Yur Hogs at any time I Will asure you the Top Price and Little above the Shipper Price. Lets form a Market. We Can if you Co-oporate here With us. This is a open Market, no Combination to Fix Price. Call us all up by Phone or Come and See us you Will have Fair Treatment. Will Pay 10c for Good Hogs all next week and if the Market is Better you Will get the Rais. Now Pleas Don't forget us all. It's no use Shipping all those Hogs to other Market, when We Need them here at Home.. Say, Wee got a few more of those barrels left.. Wee are going to Sell Meat Cheap at 1321 Calhount St., and also Ueber Rhine. Have Lots nice Little Pig Quarters, Pork that will Roast Nice Whont Come to more than a Dollar and ½ or one Seventy. They Surly nice and Tender and must be Sweet. We Will Still Sell Nice Smoked Hams a 18c and Nice Bacan a 19c all Mild Cure.

No more for this tim. Good By. LEIKAUF.
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Hood's Maysville Sausage, Strictly Pure Pork, 22c pound.

New Clover Honey, Extra White and Clear, 19c.

"Royalty" Butterine; a 28c Value. Sale, 2-lb. cake, 24c.

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Pure Cane Granulated Sugar, 25-lb. Cloth Sacks, $1.87.

"Sun Maid" Raisins, 2 pkgs., 25c
Home-Made Mince Meat, 16c lb.
Lima Beans, 10c lb.; Navy, 14c lb.
Rice, 10c grade, large white, 7c lb.

Grape Fruite Sale, 43c doz.; 4 for 25c.
—Orange Sale Still On.—
Apples, Russets, 35c peck.
Balwins, 45c peck; Storks, 45c.

Strawberries, Tomatoes, Celery, Cabbage, Cauliflower, etc.

Our Own Roast Coffee, 20c value, 17c lb.; 3 lbs. 50c
Get Our Prices on High Quality Canned Goods.
Fancy Roll Butter, 37c lb. Selected Eggs, 35c doz.

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HAMS! HAMS! Our Own Cure No. 1.....19c

Beef Roasts, Choice No. 1 Chuck.....11-12½c
Hamburg Steak, Very Choice.....12c
Boil Beef No. 1 Plates 10c

Other Specials

Pork Shoulders 15½c
Pork Chops 18c
Steaks, Round or Loin...18c
Shoulder Spare Ribs 6c
Pure Pork Sausage 18c
Frankfurters and Smoked Sausage 14c
Picnic Hams 16c
Lard, No. 1, 3-pound pail..52c
Lard, No. 1—5-pound pail..85c
Spare Ribs 12½c
Prunes, No. 1, pound 11c
Rice, pound 7c

Canned Corn, Peas, Beans, Hominy, Tomato Soup, Baked Beans 10c
Evaporated Milk 5c
Globe or Gloss Soap, 10 bars 25c
5c Cleanser, 3 cans for 10c
Mince Meat, 3 pkgs. 25c
Try Our Coffee, 18c; 3 lbs., 50c
Old Reliable and High Grade Coffee 26c
Green Japan Tea, 60c grade, pound 30c
Our Butterine, very good ..22c
Spaghetti or Macaroni ..5c-10c
Many More Specials Every Day

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FOR SATURDAY—Strawberries, Fruits, Vegetables, Fresh Oysters, Pure Country Sausage.

10 Lbs. Pure Granulated Sugar 75c

White Sand Potatoes, peck..49c
Sweet Juicy Oranges.....
.....12c, 22c, 32c, 45c
Large Grape Fruit...5c and 10c
Quality Tangerines, doz....30c
Jumbo Bananas, doz.....20c
Fancy Wax Lemons, doz....30c

Sugar Corn ..... Sweet Peas ..... Quality Hominy .... Quality Pumpkin ... String and Wax Beans Pink Beans ..... Can 10c

⅛ Bbl. Crow or Turtle Flour $1.08

Bulk Rolled Oats, lb..... 5c
Fancy Rice, 2 lbs.....13c
Large Prunes and Peaches, 2 lbs. 25c
Quality Mince Meat, 3 pkgs.25c
Macaroni and Spaghetti, 3 for 25c
Pancake and Buckwheat, 3 for 25c
Corn Flakes .....4 for 25c
Pure Buckwheat, sack 35c & 70c
Lye, Dutch Cleanser, Bon Ami, Sapolio, Shoe and Stove Blacking and Climaline, 3 for 25c

Creamy Cream Cheese, lb 26c

Strictly Fresh Eggs, doz., 44c

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WEATHER FORECAST FOR FORT WAYNE AND VICINITY

FAIR AND COLDER TONIGHT; SATURDAY, FAIR AND CONTINUED COLD.

ALLIES' REPLY READY

REJOINDER TO BERLIN SOON

Entente Answer to German Peace Proposal Lengthy Document.

DELIVERY WILL COME WEDNESDAY

London Believes It Will Meet With Approval in Washington.

London, Dec. 29.—As a result of the conferences which have been in progress for several days, the entente reply to the German note suggesting peace is now completed. It could go forward today or tomorrow except for the necessary formality of transmitting it to all the allies before final delivery.

This means that the delivery will be made early in or in the middle of next week, perhaps on Wednesday. The delivery will be made at Paris, after which the communication will be forwarded to Germany through American channels.

Very Long Document

The reply is a very long document, much more lengthy than the German note. This point has been one of the matters of discussion during the conferences, the objection having been raised that it is too long and should be short and sharp. But there were so many points for elucidation and such a complete difference of conception of the objects and purposes for which the two sides went to war that it was found desirable to extend the note to considerable length. The presence here of Alexandre Ribot, the French finance minister permitted the French ministry to be represented during the conference.

London Shows Optimism

Unusual optimism is shown here as a result of the final form which the reply has taken, which is believed to be such that it will meet with satisfaction at Washington. The reply to the American note will follow within a few days after the delivery of the reply to Germany.

Ambassador Page called on premier Lloyd George in Downing street this morning. It was a call of courtesy, offering the American representative his first opportunity of seeing Mr. Lloyd George since he became premier.

JOINT NOTE IS SENT

Scandinavian Government Unite in Approving Wilson Move

London, Dec. 29.—The Scandinavian governments have sent a joint note to belligerents supporting the peace note of President Wilson.

A Reuter dispatch from Copenhagen says the Danish, Swedish and Norwegian governments have instructed

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PRISONERS HOUSED SHOWN BY SHERIFF

Records for Eleven Months Indicate 1896 Were Received by Him.

Records of the office of A. C. Gladieux, sheriff, for the year 1916 not including the month of December show that a total of 1896 prisoners were received at the county jail during the eleven months. This report is prepared by Henry Branning, jr., deputy in the office of the sheriff.

Prisoners were received each month as follows: January, 141; February, 118; March, 139; April, 150; May, 195; June, 166; July, 188; August, 196; September, 188; October, 237; and November, 178.

STEEL PLANT SOLD FOR $11,500,000

Pittsburg, Pa., Dec. 29.—The sale of the plant of the Superior Steel company at Carnegie, to a group of New York and Philadelphia bankers has been announced here. The price paid was $11,500,000, of which $6,000,000 will be paid in cash and the balance in stock of the new organization which will be known as the Superior Steel corporation, chartered under the laws of Virginia, and have a capital stock of $17,000,000. It was not announced whether the financial institution behind the deal are acting for themselves or for a larger steel concern.

CARS LATE IN COMING

Transportation Delay Hampers Homeward Trip of Soldiers.

THIRD REGIMENT IS MUSTERED OUT

Northern Indiana Guardsmen Get Away as Best They Can.

Indianapolis, Dec. 29.—Lack of railroad equipment for the companies in the Third Indiana regiment to go to their homes from Fort Benjamin Harrison early today disrupted plans to have the companies travel in units to their home towns. All the companies were mustered out of federal service early this afternoon. The work began at 5 o'clock in the morning and at the fort it was said no railroad equipment arrived until 10 o'clock.

The men, as soon as discharged,

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FIVE STORY BUILDING LEASED BY MILLINERS

C. T. Pidgeon Company Takes Randall Property for Ten Years.

The C. T. Pidgeon Millinery company Friday signed a ten year lease for the building located on Harrison street, between the Seavey Hardware store and the Randall hotel. The building is the property of Winifred J. Randall. It is five stories high and the floor space is forty by one hundred and fifty feet.

The work of remodeling the interior will begin at once, the contract having been awarded to the McMullen brothers. Among other improvements will be a new passenger elevator. The work will be completed in time to handle the spring trade.

The company is leaving the building at Harrison and Wayne streets to be occupied soon after rthe first of the year by the Patterson-Fletcher company. In signing a lease for ten years the millinery company thought that the best location would be on Harrison street, owing to the trend of business in that direction. Possibilities of a large department store building opposite the Anthony hotel and many other contemplated business changes to this thoroughfare decided the officials of the company in their course.

STEPS OUT OF HOUSE: FINDS HUSBAND'S BODY

Wabash, Ind., Dec. 29.—Having failed to effect a reconciliation with his wife, from whom he was estranged, Glenn Gardner, 40 years old, shot himself in front of the home of his wife's parents some time last night. Mrs. Gardner was staying with her parents. She found her husband's body when she stepped out of the house today.

CHRISTMAS MAIL STILL UNDELIVERED.

Christmas mail piled high in one receiving station in Chicago, the central distributing point of the nation between the east and west, is shown in this picture. Other stations in same condition.

RANKS HIGH AMONG COMMERCIAL CLUBS

Fort Wayne Organization Among the Big Ones of Indiana.

Columbus, Dec. 29.—Commercial organizations in Indiana which number 158, have individual memberships varying from 12 to 1,500, according to statistics compiled by John E. Northway, secretary of the Indiana state chamber of commerce and read today at the annual meeting here. The statistics he compiled related to 84 of the 158 organizations. Fifty-two of the 84 have paid secretaries at work looking after civic matters. Parker City, with 12 members, has the smallest organization. The Indianapolis chamber of commerce with 1,500 members is the largest.

Other chambers of commerce or commercial club with large membership are: Anderson, 961; Fort Wayne, 800; Vincennes, 640; Indianapolis board of trade, 593; Huntington, 508; Connersville, 500; Muncie, 500; Terre Haute, 500; Columbus, 417; East Chicago, 400; Indianapolis Business Men's association, 400; Richmond 400, and Shelbyville 400. An income of $42,000 annually, that of the Indianapolis chamber of commerce, is the largest. The Eaton Commercial club, with an income of $31 a year, has the least money. Among the incomes of organizations in other cities are: Vincennes, $8,000; Anderson, $8,000; Bedford, $7,500; Indianapolis Business Men's association, $6,000; Wabash Chamber of Commerce, $5,500; Bloomington Chamber of Commerce, $5,475; Terre Haute Merchants' association, East Chicago Chamber of Commerce and Richmond Commercial club, $5,000 each.

The annual meeting of the state organization closed this afternoon with a business session.

HIGH MAIL RATES VIA DEUTSCHLAND

Berlin, Dec. 28.—(8:30 a. m.)—The merchant submarine Deutschland and her sister ships will carry on future voyages special mail at rates recalling those of the trans-continental post in the days of forty-niners. A special charge of two marks for a post card or letter not exceeding twenty grams in weight will be levied in addition to the regular international postage. A similar charge will be made for each further twenty grams up to a maximum weight of sixty grams. As letters sent by the ordinary route take many months in transit, six months being not unusual, it is expected that the submarine post will be in early demand.

FT. WAYNE POPULATION IS PLACED AT 76,183

Census Estimate Gives Us But Shade the Best of Evansville.

Washington, Dec. 28.—The Bureau of the Census in the final report issued at the close of the year, estimates that the state of Indiana now has a population of 2,754,042 whites and 62,775 colored. The last official census, taken in 1910, gave Indiana a population of 2,639,961 whites and 60,915 colored.

The estimates of the 1916 population of various Indiana cities compared with the census figures for 1910 are as follows:

	1916.	1910.
Anderson	23,936	22,476
Bedford	10,340	8,716
Bloomington	11,383	8,888
Brazil	10,315	9,340
Columbus	9,241	8,813
Crawfordsville	11,164	9,371
East Chicago	28,743	19,098
Elkhart	21,858	19,282
Elwood	11,028	11,028
Evansville	76,078	69,647
Fort Wayne	76,183	63,933
Frankfort	9,596	8,634
Goshen	8,955	8,514
Hammond	26,171	20,925
Huntington	10,880	10,272
Indianapolis	271,708	233,650
Jeffersonville	10,412	10,412
Kokomo	20,930	17,010
Lafayette	21,286	20,081
Laporte	13,202	10,525
Logansport	21,046	19,050
Marion	19,834	19,359
Michigan City	21,512	19,027
Mishawaka	16,385	11,886
Muncie	25,424	24,005
New Albany	23,629	20,629
Newcastle	13,241	9,446
Peru	12,410	10,910
Richmond	24,697	22,324
Shelbyville	10,965	9,500
South Bend	68,946	53,684
Terre Haute	66,083	58,157
Vincennes	8,730	8,687

According to these figures, the population of the state in the last six years has increased by 114,081 whites and 1,860 colored.

ANNUAL MEETING

Shriners Will Elect Officers for Ensuing Year Friday Evening

The annual meeting of Mizpah temple, Ancient Arabic Order Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, will be held Friday evening, Dec. 29, at 8 o'clock at the Scottish Rite cathedral. This meeting is for the annual election of officers for the ensuing year; the election of representatives for the Imperial council meeting at Minneapolis next June and the reading of the annual report of the officers.

The Shrine has enjoyed a very successful year. At the meeting Friday evening $6,000 will be placed in the permanent fund.

ANSWER TO BE MADE TUESDAY

American Commissioners to Determine Reply to Carranza.

TEXT OF MEXICAN PLEA NOT PUBLIC

Chairman Lane Goes Over Mexican Request for Modification.

Washington, Dec. 29.—What answer will be returned to Gen. Carranza's latest appeal for modifications in the protocol, signed at Atlantic City will be determined here Tuesday. On that day the American members of the Mexican-American joint commission will meet and consider the Mexican communication delivered yesterday to Secretary Lane by Luis Cabrera of the Mexican commission.

The Mexicans probably will be here on that day, and in the event the Americans decide Carranza's reply can be given serious consideration an immediate session of the joint commission may be held.

LANE STUDIES IT.

Washington, Dec. 29.—Gen. Carranza's latest communication asking modification of the protocol covering withdrawal of American troops from Mexico was examined closely today by Secretary Lane, chairman of the American members of the joint commission, who has summoned his colleagues to confer with him here as soon as possible. They will decide what answer to give the Mexican representatives when another session of the commission is held early next week. The note has not been made public.

It is believed certain, however, that the Mexican first chief replied to the insistent American demand that the protocol signed by his spokesmen at Atlantic City be ratified with an 800-word document, in which he failed to accede to the demand, but refrained from writing anything that could be construed as a flat repudiation.

The latest suggestions for changes in the agreement now will be considered by the three American representatives

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PRESIDENT PUTS HIS O. K. ON BOND ISSUE

Tentatively Agrees With Leaders on Plan to Meet Deficit.

Washington, Dec. 29.—President Wilson has tentatively agreed with administration leaders in congress on a bond issue to meet part of the treasury deficit which confronts the government for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1918, estimated at about $180,000,000. With Secretary McAdoo, the president is working on other plans for raising additional revenue.

The president has pointed out that he believes a bond issue should be used only to meet temporary and emergency expenditures. Many of these have been caused by the Mexican situation. The treasury already has authority by previous acts of congress to issue Panama canal bonds and about $240,000,000 of these are available. They would bear three per cent. Plans for raising the other revenue are understood to concern the income tax, an inheritance tax and special taxes on internal revenue.

CIGAR "BOMB" PROBE WITHOUT A CULPRIT

Train Conductor Innocently Put Loaded Smokers Into the Mail.

Los Angeles, Calif., Dec. 29.—No charge can be made against the person who manufactured the twenty five cigar "bombs" recently sent through the mails, even if he is found, according to post office inspector, Charles R. Ranger. Investigation today revealed that A. C. Gardner, a railroad conductor, placed the "loaded" cigars in the mail having found the package of stamped and addressed explosive containers on a vacant seat in the smoking car of his train.

"The fact that maker did not place the "bombs" in the mail," said Ranger "and that Gardner was entirely innocent in his action, leaves us without a culprit."

To date two persons have been seriously hurt by trying to smoke the cigars. Nine of the twenty five bombs have thus far been accounted for.

DENIES CONNECTION WITH DYNAMITE PLOT

San Francisco, Dec. 29.—Cross-examination of Charles C. Crowley, chief of the detective bureau instituted by the German consulate here at the outbreak of the war, is to begin today in the trial of Consul General Franz Bopp and associates accused of conspiracy to violate American neutrality. Crowley testified on direct examination yesterday that his duties as a confidential agent for the consulate took him into Canada. He denied all connection with the dynamiting conspiracy which the government's chief witness, Louis J. Smith, had charged against him and the consulate heads.

GERMANS IN A NEW DRIVE

Attempt to Break Through Mountain Region Into Moldavia.

AIMING TO FORCE FOES' LINES BACK

Russo-Rumanians Offering Stubborn Resistance to Von Mackensen.

Today's War News Given in Summary

The opening of what may prove to be an important offensive by the Teutonic forces along the Moldavian western frontier is revealed in the current Berlin statement. Apparently it is the Austro-German purpose to break through the mountain region here and force the Russo-Rumanian lines back along the lower Carpathian barrier into interior Moldavia. Several heights were captured in the effort which evidently is made in conjunction with the northward thrust of the Teutonic armies from Wallachia to the east of this line, the Southern flank of which is thus threatened. From Wallachia northward Field Marshal von Mackensen's advance has been pressed on the west nearly fifteen miles north of Rimnik Sarat, and new progress also has been made near the Danube where Braila, a grain and oil center, is the next important point in the line of the Tentonic progress.

The Petrograd statement reveals that Rumanian troops are again in the field in Northwestern Wallachia, and the indications are that resistance of a most stubborn sort is being offered to von Mackensen's thrust toward the Sereth line which runs northwest through Central Moldavia from a point on the Danube, just north of Braila. The Germans, however, have taken 1,400 more prisoners from the Russians, together with three cannons.

In Dobrudja, opposite Braila and Galtiza, the Bulgarian, Turkish and German forces have closed in further upon the Matchin bridge head, taking the town of Ratcheln, on the Danube, ten miles across the northwestern neck of Dobrudja.

Paris today reports the repulse of an attack in force by the Germans between hill 304 and Deadman hill, northwest of Verdun, admitting penetration of but one French trench south of the latter eminence. Berlin claims that German troops transferred from the Somme front, penetrated into the second and third French lines, captured more than 200 prisoners and seven machine guns, and repulsed several counter attacks.

Berlin, Dec. 29.—In Rumania yesterday Teutonic troops captured several positions, taking 1,400 prisoners, eighteen machine guns and three cannon.

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WILL PUT NEXT MOVE UP TO 400,000 MEN

New York, Dec. 29.—The 400,000 railroad employes affiliated with the four trainmens brotherhoods will decide the next step which will be taken by their authorized committee which has been handling their side of the controversy over the operation of the Adamson act it was announced here today by the brotherhood chiefs.

The brotherhood leaders after an unannounced conference here this afternoon gave out a statement indicating their fear that the pending litigation together with possible future legal steps on the part of the railroads would delay indefinitely the investigation by President Wilson's special committe head by Col. Goethals.

ASKS LAWSON TO MAKE GOOD

Chairman Henry Calls Boston Man to Substantiate His Charges.

"PUT UP OR SHUT UP" DEMAND MADE

Lively Doings Promised in Regard to "Leak" at Washington.

Washington, Dec. 29.—The controversy which has followed Congressman Wood's resolution for investigation of whether any member of President Wilson's official family profited

THOMAS W. LAWSON.

in the stock market because of inside information on the president's peace notes," got into semi-official form today when Chairman Henry of the house rules committee telegraphed Thomas W. Lawson, of Boston, to come to Washington and substantiate his published statements that he knew

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One Look Costs a "Blind" Man $3,500

HAZEL DALEY.

The Illinois industrial board awarded Peter Zyla $3,500 after deciding he was blinded by alternating heat and cold in the Chicago stockyards. An investigator, distinguished as a movie director, induced Zyla, a pigeon fancier, to pose with Hazel Daley, movie actress, and his pigeons. The director asked Miss Daley to lift her skirts a trifle. She did and, the investigator claims, Zyla could not make his $3,500 eyes behave. He lost the award.

Kendallville and Albion Guardsmen Return Friday

Kendallville and Albion members of the Third Indiana infantry passed through this city Friday afternoon aboard two special cars on the Fort Wayne & Northern Indiana Traction lines bound for Kendallville. The cars were expected at about 11 o'clock in the morning, but were delayed about three hours.

It was a happy looking bunch of guardsmen who left the city on the last lap of the trip home and they probably figure that since it was impossible for them to be at home Christmas, the next best thing will be to make New Year's resolutions at home. Preparations have been made for greeting the soldiers on their return to Kendallville and the people of that city will be as glad to see them as they are to return.

The members of the Auburn company went through the city later in the afternoon enroute for their homes. Seventy-four members were in this company. Many other soldiers are passing through the city now on their way east.

FARMERS TO ATTEND TWO STATE EXHIBITS

Short Course and State Corn Show to Be Held at Purdue University.

Allen county is preparing to send a party of seventy to the farmer's short course and the state corn show, both of which will be held at Purdue university, Lafayette, the week of January 8 to 13. A. J. Hutchins, county agent, is making arrangements for getting a special car for the trip and has asked county agents over the Twelfth district to forward as soon as possible the number of persons who will represent their counties at the two exhibits.

The short course is for men, women, boys, and girls interested in agriculture and country life. During the short course week the various agricultural associations will hold their annual meetings at Purdue giving an opportunity for all in attendance to hear the program. For the boys and girls special work in the systematic study of corn, livestock, dairying, horticulture and home economics has been arranged. C. F. Curtis, of Ames, Ia., who has just returned from South America, has been secured to speak at the breeder's meeting on "The Breeder's Opportunity." Other speakers will be: R. J. Kinzer, secretary of the American Hereford association; Dr. A. F. Nelson, state veterinarian; Prof. O. F. Erf, of Ohio university; E. B. Hart of Wisconsin.

A new feature of the poultry program will be the "Commercial Poultryman's Day." Interesting demonstrations will be given throughout the week with the aid of the moving picture. J. J. Wingert, Crawfordsville; Edward Hobart, Williamsport, and A. A. Graham, of Liberty, will speak at the poultry sessions.

Association Meetings

Association meetings to be held during the week of the short course are: Indiana Sheep Breeder's & Feeder's association, Jan. 9; Indiana Corn Grower's association, Jan. 10; Indiana Livestock Breeder's association, Jan. 11; Indiana Angus Breeder's association, Jan. 11; Indiana Hereford Breeder's association, Jan. 11; Indiana Shorthorn Breeder's association, Jan. 11; Indiana State Dairy association, Jan. 11-12; Indiana Jersey Cattle club, Jan. 11; Indiana Holstein Friesian association, Jan. 11; Indiana Guernsey Breeder's association, Jan. 11; and Indiana Home Economics association, Jan 11.

Open to Indiana Farmers

The twelfth annual state corn and small grain grower's show is open to Indiana farmers. More than $600 is offered in premiums and in excess of 200 different premiums will be awarded. Five trophies will be given as sweepstakes premiums. The Indiana Grain Dealer's association will offer a trophy for the best sample of oats exhibited. The Johnson county trophy is for the best sample of white corn; the Gray trophy for the best specimen of yellow corn, ten ears; the Volger trophy for the best single ear; the American Hominy company for the best ear of hominy corn. Exhibits must be in the show room Monday, January 8 at 6 p. m. I. N. Brown, of Franklin, is president of the show. J. N. McMahan, of Liberty, is vice-president, and G. I. Christie, of Lafayette, secretary-treasurer. The state is divided into five sections and prizes will be awarded by sections. Prize winning exhibits in the several sections will be eligible for entry in the sweepstakes classes, including the whole state.

NO USE OF TALKING COMPROMISE TO DRYS

Indianapolis, Dec. 29.—The dry federation and the Anti-Saloon league, which have joined forces, announce that nothing short of statutory prohibition will be acceptable to the dry forces. Neither will compromise on a constitutional amendment, according to a statement given out by E. S. Shumaker, superintendent of the league. A state wide prohibitory law would make the state dry early in 1918, he said, while a constitutional amendment would permit the state to remain wet for at least four years. The federation proposes to open headquarters here soon, to be in charge of Horace H. Herr, secretary.

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ROGERS

VALUED CARPENTER'S TOOLS ABOVE JEWELS

Judge Imposes Half Year Sentence for Theft of Few Instruments.

Judge Kerr pronounced an eulogy on the carpenter tools in police court Friday morning.

They are more valuable than jewels. They are as important as the strong right arm of the man who uses them. They are the instruments which make our homes possible. Upon their keeness and stability depends the bread and butter for children of the men who follow the ancient trade of building.

Spectators in police court looked time and again at the prosaic saws and augers, laying by the prosecutor's desk, as Judge Kerr pictured the golden value in their helpfulness to man of the structural implements.

Charles Miller, 24, will have plenty of time to con over the treasured function of wood working tools as he digs and chops and shovels at the state farm. Judge Kerr ended his little talk by announcing a fine of $10 and costs and a state farm sentence of 150 days for Miller, charged with petit larceny, because he stole saws and augers.

William Lee, rural route No. 9, was in court to identify the carpenter tools as his own. He had left them in a partly finished house in the west end and Miller had removed the tools last Tuesday night. Miller was taken by Detective Sergeant Walter Immel when in the act of selling the instruments, valued at $20, in a saloon.

Arrested Again.

Dayton Driver and John Hartman, two young men, were arrested for the second time Thursday afternoon because they were accomplices in the stealing of an automobile five months ago.

Hartman and Driver were with Russel Thompson and a girl, named May Williams, when Thompson took the machine belonging to James Hayes, last summer. The quartet drove to Grand Rapids, Mich., where they were arrested. The three men were charged with grand larceny. Thompson was convicted in the circuit court last week and fined $10 and sentenced to six months in jail.

Hartman and Driver, who had no part in the taking of the car, could not be charged with grand larceny, it was held. It was decided to handle the young men in police court on the lesser charge of unlawful possession of an automobile.

They were arraigned in police court Friday morning. They pleaded not guilty. The case is set for January 6. They will continue under the $500 bond which they have put up in the circuit court.

Other Police Court Cases.

Edward Pressnell, charged with loitering, will be held until January 4. It is thought that he is wanted in Dayton, Ohio, on a minor charge.

Cases of public intoxication were James Kane, fined $25 and costs; James Connors, $1. Pete Doenges will be tried Saturday. Tom Kennedy, John Hanley and James Gannon were released. Henry Reeser will be held until next Tuesday. Case against Sam Hindman, charged witth loitering, was dismissed.

Colds Cause Headache and Grip. LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE removes the cause. There is only one "Bromo Quinine." E. W. GROVE'S signature is on box. 25c.

ATTACK INDIANA OIL INSPECTION STATUTE

Oil Concerns Seek Injunction to Prevent Further Enforcement.

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 29.—Five large oil concerns today filed suit in the federal court asking for an injunction to prevent further enforcement of the state law providing for oil inspection. Joint action is taken in the suit by the Moore Oil company, Indiana Refining company, Great Western Oil company and the Tiona Refining company. The action is against J. O. Behymer, state supervisor of oil inspection.

The petition attacks the law as an effort on the part of the state of Indiana to usurp the power vested in the national government, declaring that the oil inspection law now is merely enforced as a matter of revenue and that the national government alone has authority to impose taxes upon minerals and products manufactured from minerals, including oils and their refined products.

VOTES STOCK INCREASE.

Federal Securities Company Adds $100,000 to Its Capital Stock.

At a meeting held at the Commercial club, Thursday night, of the stockholders of the Federal Securities & Investment company, it was voted to increase the capital stock from $100,000 to $200,000. The secretary of state will be sent notification of the increase. The growth of the company made the increase in the capital stock necessary. Plans are now under way for the construction of forty or fifty houses next summer.

Annette Kellermann Art Calendar Free.

"A Daughter of the Gods" is the title of the million dollar picture beautiful, produced by William Fox, featuring Annette Kellerman in all her loveliness. By special arrangement the CHICAGO SUNDAY HERALD will give away absolutely free next Sunday, a 1917 art calendar, size 8¾x14 inches, with a reproduced photograph of Miss Kellermann in six colors. This calendar is one that is entirely worthy of being exploited and secured. You can obtain it free of charge by purchasing a copy of next Sunday's CHICAGO HERALD. Make sure of getting one by ordering your copy from your newsdealer today.

CHILD PLAGUE FEARED DURING COMING YEAR

Dr. Flexner Sees Prospect for Wider Spread of Dread Malady.

New York, Dec. 29.—Dr. Simon Flexner, director of the Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research, declared last night in a speech before the American Association for the Advancement of Science that he is "more or less fearful that infantile paralysis may be more widespread in the United States next summer, but there may be, perhaps, not so much of it in the eastern states."

Dr. Flexner asserted that it now is possible to say that the disease is infectious and contagious and is caused by a living micro-organism,

"I believe that the disease is here to stay for a period," he said. "It has never disappeared since its introduction here in 1906. The indications are that the community that suffers severely one year may escape the next.

Circumnavigates the Globe

Prior to 1906 this disease established a home in northern Europe. In 1906 something happened to change this. That year the disease migrated and came here, and at the same time extended over European countries which had prior to that been free of it. It is the first time in the history of any disease that an epidemic has circumnavigated the globe.

"One of the puzzles of this disease is that the term infantile paralysis is not correct. It is a misnomer because the disease can appear without any paralysis whatever resulting. Paralysis is merely an incident of the disease. During the recent epidemic more persons had it and were not paralyzed than had it and were paralyzed."

Find the "Missing Link."

A machine that "shows how sound looks," a restored "pithecanthropus erectus," who roamed the earth 500,000 years ago as the "missing link," a discussion as to whether man has been on this continent 125,000 years or 300,000, and many addresses on modern economic and humanitarian subjects made up the interest at the various sessions of the association during the day.

The sound machine, which is called the "phonodeik," was exhibited by Prof. Dayton C. Miller of the Case School of Applied Science, Cleveland, O.

The 500,000 year old pithecanthropus erectus was introduced to modern society by Prof. James H. McGregor of the department of zoology of the Columbia university. He explained that the habitat of "p. e.," as he was called for brevity, was Java. Virtually all there is of the original "ape man" is the skull and jawbone.

GIVE MUCH STUDY TO AFTER-WAR PROBLEMS

Capital to Be Plenty, But Labor Scarce, Says Banker.

Columbus, Ohio, Dec. 29.—Four national sociological and economic societies were holding the final sessions of their convention today at Ohio State university, where problems likely to arise in this country, following the war in Europe, and labor problems were being discussed by men of national reputation. They are the American Economic association, the American Sociological society, the American Statistical association and the American Association for Labor Legislation.

"We shall have capital after the war, but shall not have labor enough to employ it," said George E. Roberts, of the National City bank, of New York, discussing before the Economy association the situation of the United States at the close of the European war with special reference to the gold supply.

"The labor of Europe and the capital of America will have to be brought together," said Roberts. "Conditions seem to favor the transfer of capital, in the form of gold, to Europe rather than the removal of the population from Europe to America," he added.

Roberts criticized the new federal reserve act. "In their anxiety to decentralize the banking business the authors of this act neglected to centralize the gold reserves, which is the most important requisite of a reserve system," said Roberts. "The result is that while the country's stock of gold has increased from Jan. 1 to Nov. 1, by approximately $400,000,000 the federal reserve bank of New York, upon whom the demand for gold export must inevitably fall, has gained less than $5,000,000 and all the federal reserve banks together have gained less than $132,000,000."

The general monetary situation, the transfer of gold to the bank reserve of the United States and other countries and the increased use of paper money in Europe undoubtedly has and will continue to have an influence for higher prices, Roberts said.

FARMER'S SON TO BE CADET.

Anderson, Ind., Dec. 29.—Notice has been received from the war department of the appointment to the United States military academy at Westpoint, of William Bronnenberg, son of a Madison county farmer. The appointment was made on recommendation of Congressman J. A. M. Adair.

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POLITICIANS SNARED IN BOND GRAFT TRAIL

Judge Landis Strikes Very Promising Lead in Chicago Sensation.

Chicago, Dec. 29.—A graft trail running from the gambling den through civil and criminal courts into some of the highest offices of the state, was uncovered during a sensational court session held by Federal Judge Landis yesterday. The names of men conspicuous in public life were brought in. One thrill was the issuance of a subpoena for Lieut. Gov. Barratt O'Hara.

Others mentioned, who may be subpoenaed today, are: State Senator George F. Harding, Representative Larry O'Brien, John F. O'Malley and James A. Quinn.

The revelations of systematic graft conducted by crooked bondsmen, court attaches, gamblers, thieves and other criminals, as the result of Judge Landis' inquiry into the bail bond business, which has already involved almost a hundred men, promise a scandal of far-reaching effect.

"Endless Chain" Trap.

By his "endless chain" method of getting at the bottom of each question that comes up in his court, Judge Landis has been able to learn the names of politicians, officials and crooks associated in various kinds of business and criminal transactions.

And it all started over one little lie told in the Smiglak $1,000 bankruptcy hearing three weeks ago. To cover the first lie another one had to be told, and when the witness became so tangled he could go no farther, he would blame his troubles on some one else. Then the judge began sending the perjurors to jail. Bondsmen appeared, and as their records were far from clear, they soon found themselves in over their heads.

They began to call for help from friends, and as the friends made their appearance the judge landed on them. And up to yesterday it was discovered that out of the seventy-five or more men involved, only as many as could be counted on the fingers of one hand had clear records.

From the bankrupt swindler the inquiry got into the bonding business, and in an attempt to discover how the crooked bondsmen could operate, it was learned they were aided through the connivance of court attaches, public officials and politicians.

EIGHT CONVICTED IN PHANTOM HORSE DEAL

Court Verdict Adverse to Men Who Pulled Million Dollar Swindle.

Omaha, Dec. 29.—The jury in the case of eleven defendants charged with use of the mails to defraud in sales of phantom "wild horses" in Coconino county, Arizona, late yesterday returned a verdict of guilty against eight defendants and found two not guilty. One defendant was dismissed by the judge. The case was one in which the United States Live Stock company and the Omaha Land and Investment company were charged by the government with sales of fictitious "wild horses," amounting to a million dollars. Forty men were indicted in connection with these sales.

The following were found guilty: Albert Hastings, Silver Creek, Neb.; C. W. West, Lincoln, Neb.; William Hinkley, Brayton, Neb.; Jack Shercliff, Minneapolis; J. S. Smith, C. A. Smith, C. M. Thompson and John Bolecy, Omaha. Clemency was recommended for Thompson and Bolecy. F. V. Guldinger, Minneapolis, and B. F. Berwinkle, Des Moines, were found not guilty. L. R. West, of Des Moines, was dismissed by the judge, who said the prosecution had failed to make a case against him.

William Kalienbach, of the Pennsy copper department, and J. R. Markey, machinist, will spend the week-end and New Year's season in Chicago.

SENTINEL OF WATERY WILDS IS POPULATED BY JUST TWO LONELY DONKEYS.

Cedros Island, lonely sentinel of western Pacific, and its relative position to coast ports.

At Sea, Aboard the U. S. Steamer Albatross, Dec. 29.

"Stand by to let go the port anchor!"

Thus came the crisp command from Captain J. J. Hannigan, U. S. N., as the U. S. Bureau of Fisheries Steamer Albatross approached Cerros Island.

A tuna investigation, under the direction of Naturalist Edward C. Johnston, had brought the vessel abreast of this isolated chunk of Mexican real estate, and blowy weather was to keep her here several days. This would give ample opportunity to re-discover this long forgotten isle.

Cerros Island, also called Cedros Island, is one of those distant points known chiefly to navigators and adventurers.

An air of romance hangs about it, holding forth inviting allure; it spices the curiosity and strikes a vibrant thrill to the marrow of the man who sees majesty in the things Mother Nature makes. And the explorer who tramps over its rugged slopes has visions of pirate caches and buried treasure.

This small domain is the property of the Mexican government, and situated off the coast of Lower California, about half way down the peninsula. It is populated by two abandoned donkeys, a wild dog, and considerable game. Possibly in widely separated places on the southern end, Japanese abalone fishermen are operating. But the island, for the most part, is entirely without habitation. It is as lonesome as was Robinson Crusoe's realm.

That's the story of Cerros Island, desolate, alone, one of the last sentinels of the unleashed wilds—a country that God made in a hurry and then forgot.

MISSED NOOSE BY A DAY; AGAIN GAINER

Further Commutation Won by Good Prison Record of Convict.

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 29.—Governor Ralston ordered a commutation of sentence yesterday for John Lapadat, who is serving a life sentence in the state prison for murder committed in Lake county in November, 1906. Lapadat was tried in the Lake circuit court, found guilty and sentenced to hang on March 29, 1907. Just one day before the prisoner was to be executed Governor J. Frank Hanly commuted the sentence to life imprisonment.

Governor Hanly stated that there was insufficient evidence to convict the man of murder in the first degree, as a reason for his commutation. Since that time the prisoner has maintained a perfect record at the prison and an appeal from the jurors and others connected with the case led Governor Ralston to commute the life sentence to from two to twenty-one years.

The governor ordered a remission of fine and a parole to William Goble, Indianapolis; Fred Frederickson, Terre Haute, and Tuck Adams, Monroe county. Goble was sentenced in police court, Aug. 1, to serve six months at the penal farm and pay a fine of $50 and costs for having possession unlawfully of an automobile.

It was represented to the governor that Goble had a wife and small child in distress because of the husband and father being taken away from them. Adams was sentenced in the Monroe circuit court, Nov. 30, to serve sixty days at the penal farm and pay a fine of $50 and costs for having liquor for unlawful purposes. Frederickson was sentenced from the Terre Haute police court, July 5, after conviction for assault and battery. He was to serve 180 days at the farm and pay a fine of $200 and costs. Both the last named men were released because they had no money with which to pay their fines.

The governor honored a requisition from the governor of Michigan asking for the release of Cassius Montjoy to Detroit (Mich.) officers. Montjoy is wanted in Detroit to answer a charge of abandonment.

DO YOUR CHRISTMAS SWAPPING EARLY!

WRECKED!

Any man, woman or child will be wrecked mentally and physically if their eyes are not tested and glasses fitted at the proper time and place. See Voirol, 1518 Calhoun. Now is the time before school begins again.

AMERICAN PIANOS POPULAR.

Use Increasing Rapidly in All Parts of the Globe.

Washington, Dec. 29.—American pianos are growing rapidly in popularity abroad, particularly in the remotest sections of the globe. Figures made public today by the department of commerce show that in the fiscal year, 1916, over 10,800 pianos and player pianos were exported, breaking all previous records. Australia, New Zealand and the Philippines took 5,000, Africa, 500, and Asia, 84. The remainder went to North and South America and to Europe.

GOING THROUGH FASTER.

Record Time for Ship's Passage in Panama Canal Lowered.

Washington, Dec. 29.—The record time for passing a ship through the Panama canal has been lowered to six hours and twenty minutes. On December 17, the Pacific steam navigation liner, Acajuta, passed through in that time, which was five minutes better than the previous record.

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Contributions toward the purchase of Turkey Run and McCormick's Creek Canyon, as the first link in a chain of 200 state-owned parks, will be received gratefully and acknowledged through the Fort Wayne newspapers if sent either to Samuel M. Foster, German-American bank, or to Dick Vesey, Bass block, city. All checks in support of the fund are payable to Sol S. Kiser, treasurer, Meyer-Kiser bank, Indianapolis.

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LESSON FOR DECEMBER 31

CHRIST'S COMING AND COMING TO CHRIST (REVIEW).

READING LESSON—Rev. 22:6-14; 16:21.

GOLDEN TEXT—The spirit and the bride say, come. And he that heareth, let him say, come. And he that is athirst, let him come. He that wills; let him take of the water of life freely.—Rev. 22:17.

It is possible in lessons one to nine to review the past quarter's work, in a logical, chronological manner, but lessons seven and nine are not in their proper chronological setting. These lessons extend over five years of Paul's life from about 58 A. D. to 63 A. D. They are five wonderful years, and the last of the authentic years we have of the life of this wonderful man. The review should of course center in Paul, his conduct, character and teachings.

The first twelve chapters of the Book of Acts, in which we have chiefly been studying, cover a period of about sixteen years, A. D. 30-46, with Jerusalem as the center. The rest of the Book of Acts cover another period of approximately 16 years from 46 to 62, and is the record of the foreign missionary work of Paul and his companions, Paul being of course the central character. The series for this quarter close with the vision of the final triumph of Christianity as seen by John in the Revelation. Maps should be employed if possible to show the journeys of Paul. The risen Christ and the enduement of the Holy Spirit were the vision and the power which wrote this first Church History, and which have been writing Church History ever since. The home church (Chs. 2-7) began with about 120 praying men and women. Peter's first sermon brought into "the way" 3,000 more. From time to time others were added. Persecution and deliverances, the first martyr, Stephen, and the dissatisfaction which led to the choice of the deacons, are the outstanding events of this period. The home mission period, with Jerusalem as the center and Palestine as the field (Chapters 8-12) covers a period of about ten years. Persecution scattered the disciples throughout the country. Paul was converted on the road to Damascus, Philip goes to Samaria, and Peter carries on the work throughout Lydda, Joppa and Caesarea. In this section we have the story of Philip and the Ethiopian, of Peter curing the palsied man at Lydda, the raising of Dorcas and Paul and Barnabas returning to Jerusalem with help to those at that city who were suffering from famine. Then begins the period of foreign missions, covering about sixteen years, from about A. D. 47 to 62. The principal characters begin of course with Paul and Barnabas, though Paul soon takes his place of leadership. Paul's first missionary journey lasted for about two years, from say A. D. 47 to 49, Barnabas being his principal companion. Returning to Antioch from Jerusalem, Paul soon began his second journey, this time taking with him Silas. Again there is a period of about two years, from A. D. 50 to 52. Paul had his Macedonian vision during this time, and the gospel first entered Europe, beginning with the conversion of the Philippian jailor. Paul's preaching at Athens and his service at Corinth are perhaps the most outstanding features of this journey. Paul's third journey lasted nearly three years, A. D. 53 to 56 or 57. He re-visits the Asia Minor churches to strengthen them, spends nearly three years at Ephesus, and has some outstanding adventures as, for instance, the riot at Ephesus about the shrines of Diana. Returning to Jerusalem to take part in the feast, he is told of the ultimate persecutions which he must endure. For a long time he has desired to preach the gospel in Rome. Everyone of the trials, hindrances, oppositions and attacks proved to be the means by which he gained that desired end.

In this particular quarter, in lesson one, we see Paul's calmness in persecution, his prudence under danger. In lesson two, his delicate courtesy and shrewdness in seizing every opportunity that he might witness for his Lord. In lesson three is manifested his unshaken belief in everything found in the Scriptures, and his wise use thereof in leading men to Christ. In lesson five, his fearlessness amidst danger and his absolute confidence in God. In lesson six, his humility. In lesson seven, his well balanced common sense and his love of peace among his brethren. In lesson eight, we see him longing for human companionship and sympathy, and have an evidence of his love for his own countrymen, and yet his faithfulness declaring the word of God to them as well as to the Gentiles.

Last Sunday we stood with Isaiah, looking down through the centuries to the man of Galilee 700 years hence. Today, as we review this quarter and the lessons of the past year, we are looking back nearly two thousand years to the one who wrought out our salvation on Calvary, but we may also turn our faces the other way, and look for him whose returning will bring peace to the earth, and at whose coming the brightness of his glory shall cover the earth even as the waters cover the sea.

We have seen the breaking down of "armed peace."

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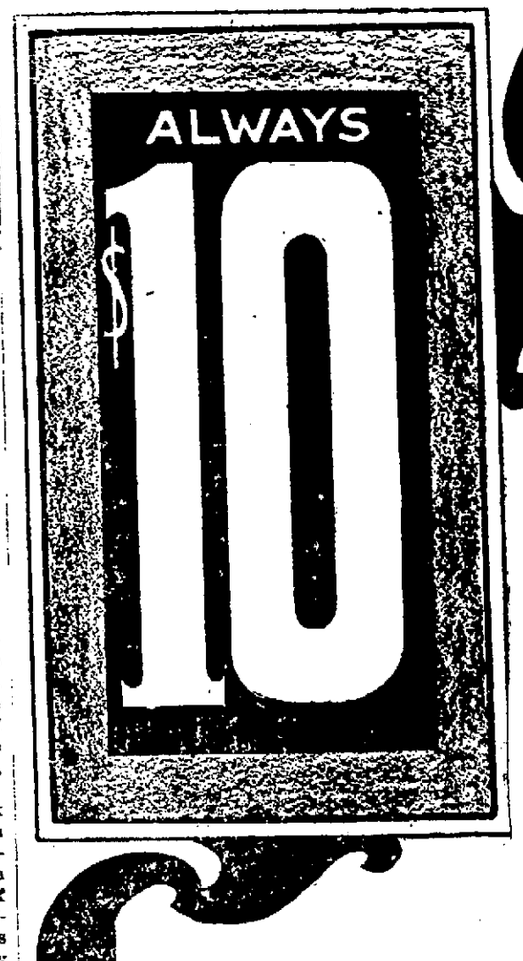

A TIP

To the Man That Buys His Clothes at Sale Prices

We want to reason with you and talk plain English about the clothes question—there are lots of men that wait until after Christmas to buy their clothes, thinking that they can do better and that the prices will be lowered. You will read in the advertising columns of the newspapers about different clothing sales, such as "half-off sales," "season-end sales"—merchants offering to sell $25 garments for half the price and others at cost. This, you know, cannot be done if you stop to consider. These same merchants, a month ago, advertised $35 and $40 garments for $25; now they swing at you with the same clothes at half that price. You see, you are not getting a full measure of value for your money. No merchant can afford to sell his clothes at cost. He must make a profit in order to continue business—to state it plain, when you are dealing with a store that has all kinds of sales, you don't really know when you are getting full value.

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SOLDIERS IMPROVE IN MARKSMANSHIP

Advance is Noted Among Pershing's Forces in Mexico.

Field Headquarters American Expedition in Mexico, Dec. 15.—(Correspondence of The Associated Press.)—Extraordinary improvement in marksmanship is being noted in reports received at field headquarters. The regular life of the soldiers has steadied their nerves, and the clear air of the Mexican plateau region make sighting easy. Another factor in the good showing is the steady drill the men have received in fire control, new methods of which are being tried by the cavalry with remarkable success.

Machine gun troops also are being drilled to use their arms to the best advantage. Recently several companies of the Sixteenth infantry were brought north from El Valle and demonstrations of fire control were given for the benefit of the officers stationed here. The machine gun work was under the direction of Capt. F. S. Bowen, assisted by Capt. W. C. Short.

Among the most interesting experiments now being conducted is that in pistol firing by a detachment of cavalry, chosen at random. A pistol board, which is conducting the work, has evolved a unique line of targets, worked by ropes and pulleys, which fall flat when the cavalry charge over them. The attempt is being made to evolve a system of pistol firing while charging. At present the men are firing directly ahead while leaning forward in their saddles and holding their arms just ahead to the right of their mounts' ears. Excellent results, it is said, have already been obtained.

When ammunition arrives, another interesting test will be made, that of determining how effectually the present three-inch field gun will demolish barbed wire entanglements, trenches and bomb proofs. A line of fortifications has been constructed as nearly like those in Europe as possible. The artillery will be allowed to work on these under conditions that would obtain in actual war and the results of their fire will be noted.

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After you have taken it for a few days and thoroughly cleaned the system, an occasional wineglassful will keep your bowels regular and make you feel good all the time.—Advertisement.

OLDEST AND YOUNGEST SAILORS PAY VISIT TO PRESIDENT.

The oldest and youngest sailors in the Atlantic fleet are James McCarthy, 61, and Lloyd Cornell, 16. They spent shore leave visiting President Wilson, instead of going home for Christmas.

ZANESVILLE NEWS.

Ivan Redding of Fort Wayne is visiting with his father Joshua Redding.

Amos Ward who has been very sick for a few days is reported better.

Bernard Pearson and Harry Keplinger made a business trip to Uniondale, Wednesday.

A. H. Knight who has been suffering greatly since Saturday evening from the effects of running the prong of a fork into his foot is much improved.

Miss Gertrude Keplinger, teacher of domestic science in the Flint high school, is visiting with her parents Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Keplinger.

Ivan Hamilton and family of Fairchild, Montana, are visiting with his father and mother Mr. and Mrs. John Hamilton.

Robert Clark died Wednesday morning at nine o'clock from pneumonia, at the age of 78 years. Mr. Clark was born in Tuscarawas, Co. Ohio, and moved with his parents to Allen Co. Indiana when but a small boy. He was a member of the 101st Regiment I. V., was wounded at Murfreesboro, Tenn., battle of Vots Hill. Married Miss Amanda Diffendorfer soon after the close of the war. Mr. Clark has resided in Zanesville almost all of his married life. He leaves, besides the widow seven children as follows: Mrs. Minnie Wagner of Columbia City, Ind.; Markley, Dora and William of Fort Wayne, Charles A. and Mrs. Alma Smith of Zanesville, also 23 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Mr. Clark held the position of postmaster of Zanesville for 16 years. Resigning only when the weight of his advancing years compelled him to do so in 1913.

The funeral services at the Church of God where Mr. Clark has been a member for fifty years.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Tobias of Kalkaska, Mich., arrived Saturday evening to spend a few days at the home of his mother Mrs. Hannah Tobias.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Motz visited Friday near Nine Mile at the home of their son Chester Motz and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Carll and Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Carll were Fort Wayne shoppers Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Scott and family of Forty Wayne came Saturday to spend Christmas with his mother Mrs. Susan Scott.

Saturday evening there was given miscellaneous shower at the home of Dr. and Mrs. J. L. McBride in honor of their daughter Mrs. Carl Bulvey, who was married a few weeks ago.

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DAILY BIBLE READINGS FOR THE HOME

Luke 18:22-30.

22 Now when Jesus heard these things, he said unto him, Yet lackest thou one thing: sell all that thou hast, and distribute unto the poor, and thou shalt have treasure in heaven: and come, follow me.

23 And when he heard this, he was very sorrowful: for he was very rich.

24 And when Jesus saw that he was very sorrowful, he said, How hardly shall they that have riches enter into the kingdom of God!

25 For it is easier for a camel to go through a needle's eye, than for a rich man to enter into the kingdom of God.

26 And they that heard it said, Who then can be saved?

27 And he said, The things which are impossible with men are possible with God.

28 Then Peter said, Lo, we have left all, and followed thee.

29 And he said unto them, Verily I say unto you, There is no man that hath left house, or parents, or brethren, or wife, or children, for the kingdom for God's sake.

30 Who shall not receive manifold more in this present time, and in the world to come life everlasting.

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Mr. Lawson to Mr. Wood

Thomas W. Lawson, the Boston financier, who is reputed to have cleaned up several millions of dollars in stock market plunges on an advance "tip" that President Wilson was to urge peace negotiations a week or more ago, is attempting to have some fun at the expense of Representative Wood, of Indiana, who has introduced a resolution in congress for a rigid investigation of the alleged "leak" through which information filtered to the speculators before it was given to the general public. In a telegram to the Indiana congressman, Mr. Lawson says:

> "Take a tip from one who played the big Washington-Wall street game and the big international publicity game long before you were old enough to distinguish between a stock exchange and a congressional hall; spend less time on last week and more time on this week's leak which is liable to inundate both Wall street and Washington.
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> "There were only sixty-odd millions hogsheaded from last week's; this week's may run into billions.
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> "And this tip, too, is meant in the best of spirit. If it was actually believed in Washington there was to be a real investigation of last week's leak, there would not be a quorum in either the senate or the house next Monday, and there would be a shifting of bank accounts similar to those in the good old sugar investigation days."

The Boston financier further intimates that he is easy to locate and that it will not be at all a difficult matter to induce him to testify before the congressional committee as to what he knows of the case. Despite the fact that nothing gratifies Mr. Lawson more than spectacular publicity of this sort, we trust Representative Wood will lose no time in demanding a show-down on the proposition. The affair has reached a stage that makes dropping it without investigation inconceivable. Whether Mr. Lawson deliberately intended to do so or whether he was merely indulging in a sensational play to the galleries, his assertion that a quorum of congress would be impossible if anybody supposed there was to be a real investigation constitutes so grave a reflection on that body that it cannot afford to pass it in silence. To save its self-respect, congress should insist on Mr. Lawson "coming through" with a statement of what he knows or what he thinks he knows regarding the whole business.

The latest turn in peace negotiation developments is the indication that the dickering may be done secretly, with all the communications of a highly confidential character, and that the public will have little authoritative information as to terms, contentions and concessions until the peace pact is either ratified or abandoned as a wholly hopeless undertaking. Perhaps that plan promises most for progress, but it is going to be a great hardship for most of us to be denied a part in the argumentative proceedure attending the settlement of the world war. By a very large majority we are confident we could fix the affair up speedily and satisfactorily if they would only listen to us.

Five big oil concerns have just filed suit in the federal court at Indianapolis to restrain Indiana from further enforcement of the state oil-inspection law, declaring that the purposes of the statute are now all accomplished by federal inspection, and that the state supervision of oil is maintained only as a matter of revenue. It will be recalled that one of the strong campaign pronouncements of Governor-elect Goodrich was his avowed intention of wiping out the state oil inspection division. The oil concerns evidently fear Mr. Goodrich may be forgetful or that he may change his mind, and that it is never judicious these days to take unnecessary chances.

Having marched up the hill, the grand jury in New York which has been investigating the advance in foodstuffs and the high cost of living generally, has accumulated a vast amount of evidence to indicate that prices are really high, and, without returning any indictments, will now march ponderously down again. This should constitute a most impressive warning to the heartless wretches who have iniquitously boosted the cost of living, and imagination fairly runs riot at the contemplation of the manner in which the food speculators will continue to tremble in their shoes!

The state-wide primary law, enacted since the last mayoralty campaign in Indiana cities, seems also to have beclouded the question as to date for party reorganization in order to prepare for the city contest during the coming year. There was much perplexity a year ago as to its operation with reference to county candidates, and about the time the thing is thoroughly straightened out, somebody will doubtless come booming along and change it again.

Congressman Cline has very wisely, in the interest of government economy, decided to supply Uncle Sam's brand of garden and flower seeds only to those who care enough about them to make a request to that effect. The change in plan makes it probable that more seeds will be planted in the garden and fewer in the waste-basket than in the general average maintained for a good many years.

The Fort Wayne auditorium committee has been off gathering information by an inspection of buildings of this character elsewhere, which is both desirable and essential, but up to the present moment they've left the Fort Wayne public in harrowing suspense as to where they're going to put the building after they've got it.

Sketches from Life :: :: By Temple

A Magnifying Glass

Live Honestly is a Fine Code of Ethics

Most of us expect 1917 is going to be the best year we have ever known. Facing the future in an optimistic frame of mind is undoubtedly the right attitude toward life. But people differ widely as to what they have a right to expect. To some life means nothing but getting. The method of acquisition, the way in which they make their great expectations come true, bothers them but little.

A simple code of ethics by Prof. Franklin H. Giddings of Columbia university, printed in "School and Society," contains this:

"Honest living means putting back into the world as much as you take out of it. You don't live honestly if, being able-bodied, in good health, and of sound mind, you let somebody else pay your way.

"You don't live honestly if, when you become a business man, you get something for nothing: from the legislature or the city, or from your customers, or from your wage earners.

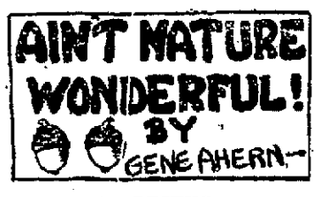
"Put back in some way, in some service, or improvement, or benefaction, above all in a fair price and a just wage, as much as you take out of the resources of the earth, out of the revenues and common possessions of the community, and out of the toil of men."

Many persons recognize the worth of this preachment—for others, but only those who make it a working basis for their own living will discover all of the possible blessings in the new born year.

Caucus Won't Work in This Instance

(Indiana Daily Times.)

A correspondent writes to say that a republican legislator from northern Indiana, discussing legislation, gives out the suggestion that Indiana republicans, owing their 1916 political success to the saloon interests, must cleave to the liquor traffic and turn down all anti-saloon legislation at the coming sessions of the Indiana legislature. It is possible a few G. O. P. legislators—Allen county's squad for example—may feel as if they are bound, by unfortunate political complications, to line up with the saloon element and against the good people of the state. We do not believe any large number of lawmakers will be found voting with the saloon cause. The liquor question is not partisan. The party caucus that tries to compel its members to support the saloon will find itself blown to fragments with terrific immediacy. This is no time to attempt to "line up" on the wrong side. This is no time to attempt to make a caucus or party matter of a moral issue. We do not believe any political leadership will be so obtuse or blind as to seek to dictate through caucus or other methods how legislators shall vote on moral questions.



WORRYING.

Worrying is working the brain overtime about something that ain't yet. Worrying can do more harm to a fellow than a six-day bike race or work. The fellow who doesn't worry never says, "Gee! I used to wear a 15 collar and now I wear a 14."

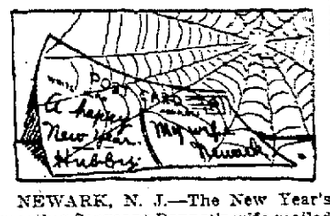
Be like the fellow who went to get seats for a show: He didn't worry whether the show was any good. He laughed when he bought the tickets.

As the farmer: He didn't worry about the rain coming through the hole in the roof down on his bed. He moved the bed.

Like the girl in Detroit: Her cat went out one night and she worried about 50 pounds worth. Misdirected energy, George. The cat showed up the next night with all his hair, two ears, four paws, and a tail. He got hungry.

Lookit us. We aren't worrying whether this sermon is any good. If some people say it isn't any good we just say, "Aw, they don't know good stuff when they see it."

ODD, ISN'T IT?



NEWARK, N. J.—The New Year's greeting Sergeant Bonnet's wife mailed him on a postcard Dec. 30, 1905, has just been delivered.

SHORT ONES.

Dishonest men conceal their faults from themselves, as well as others; honest men know and confess them.—La Rochefoucauld.

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We won't know how effective England's new commerce protectors are until the Deutschland tries the comeback.

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Time drags for shirkers and pessimists, and flies for workers and optimists.

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Let's ask San Marino what it thinks about peace?

Every Woman Should Read This.

"When I feel out of sorts and there are indications of a torpid liver, I take Chamberlain's Tablets and in a few days feel like a new woman," writes Mrs. James Fitzgerald, Batavia, N. Y. These tablets not only correct the disorders of the liver, but improve the appetite and strengthen the digestion. Obtainable everywhere.—Advertisement.

Reserve your table at Alt Heidelberg for New Year's celebration, Saturday night
29-2t

The Sentinel's Daily Cartoonet

UNFOLDING HER WINGS

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

What the Sentinel Had to Say About Persons and Events Twenty-Five Years Ago.

Bishop Dwenger is recovering from his recent illness.

A company is being organized at Decatur to build an opera house.

Mrs. Frank Poole has as her guest her sister, Mrs. Mahurin, of Indianapolis.

Telephone No. 141 has been placed in the offices of the National and American Express companies.

James Madden, the plumber, has returned from Nappanee, Ind., where he was superintending his contract of putting in the city waterworks.

The horrid practice of "shooting the old year out" is going out of date, and the use of firearms on New Year's eve ought to be suppressed.

Allen J. Vesey, brother of the attorney, who was here from Kennett, Mo., has returned to that place, where he and P. A. Randall are running a saw mill.

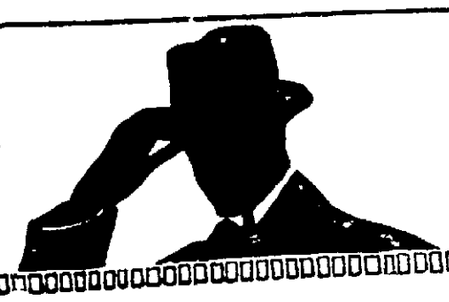
Tuesday evening at 10:30 o'clock ocurred the death of John F. Racine, after a short illness with grip. The deceased was one of the pioneers of the county.

The stamp and newspaper department in the postoffice are now enclosed by a wire cage. Pete Poirson and Paul Hoppe look at their colleagues in the mail room through bars now.

Governor Chase has pardoned William Gant (colored) who was sent to the penitentiary from Princeton for seven years for stealing a pair of boots. Gant has served five years of his sentence.

George DeWald & Co., have purchased the stock of hats, caps and gent's furnishings owned by Sarah A. Durfee and managed by William R. Durfee, situated at 258 Calhoun street. The store under the proprietorship, will be managed by Messrs. George DeWald, jr., E. T. Williams and Henry Lepper, all of the George DeWald & Co. dry goods house.

Loyal lodge, K. of P., elected the following officers last night for the ensuing year: P. C., Walter Lyman; C. C., Dr. Budd Van Sweringen; V. C., Howard Herring; P. M., C. Stanton; M. of A., Robert Harding; K. of R. S., Theodore Thorward; M. of F., A. A. Bunce; M. of E., John V. Ruel; trustee, W. J. Vesey; representative to grand lodge, Dr. George B. Stemen.



TOMORROW

The Same Big Values

The Same Big Assortment

OVERCOATS AND SUITS

$10 - $15 - $20

SAVE $5 to $10

Theo. F. Israel

TOLL OUT THE OLD, CHIME IN THE NEW.

Before the close of the year 1917 Superintendent D. O. McComb, of the county schools, is hoping that two or three new school buildings will have been erected and ready for occupancy. He is a strong advocate of the consolidated school, because he realizes in view of experiences where such schools have been established that better results may be obtained. While there is some opposition in Allen county, it has been the experience elsewhere that after the consolidated school is inaugurated and has been operated long enough for the patrons to see the great advantages over the old one-room school, the opposition disappears, just as much of the opposition to the consolidated school in Washington township has vanished.

The year 1916 marks the best year in the history of the schools of Allen county, in the opinion of Superintendent McComb. There has been no serious epidemics and certainly no serious trouble. Real progress has been made. During the ensuing year, however, the superintendent is hopeful of surpassing the splendid record of 1916. There are at the present time 198 teachers in the schools of Allen county outside of Fort Wayne.

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City Sealer C. B. Tolan made 9,344 inspections during 1916. He condemned 1,627 pairs of scales during the year.

Tolan ordered 6,600 berry crates destroyed. These were small containers which were supposed to hold a quart of berries but which in fact held little over a pint of fruit.

Twenty-seven large vegetable crates were condemned and thirty-seven measures which had been advertised to hold a bushel.

Tolan adjusted 145 scales and rated 1,290 more as O. K.

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Detective Sergeant Joseph Brennan took Bertillon measurements of 205 persons who were sent to his department from police court in 1916. That is an average of four measurements a week during the year. Each person brought before Brennan was also "mugged," which means that they had their pictures taken.

Fifty-two of the men and women, whose physical make-up was carefully recorded, were people with former police records. Three were wanted in eastern penitentiaries. Several were deserters and parole violators. Fifteen of the total number to be registered were women.

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There is $1,608.04 in the treasury of the Fire Department Mutual Benefit association at the end of 1916. During the year $328.51 was paid out in benefits, according to the annual report of the association.

The firemen's association starts its fourth year with nearly $500 more in the treasury than at the beginning of 1915.

C. W. Winbaugh is secretary and J. Hecke treasurer of the benefit league. Auditing committee is J. J. Sullivan, W. B. Strebig and William Edsall.

Annual report in full follows:

Carried over from 1915	$1,153.65
Dues collected	736.42
Interest	46.48
Total	$1,936.55
Paid out (1914)	328.51
Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1916	$1,608.04

Watch!

Sunday's Journal-Gazette for the

Greatest January Clearance Sale

In half a century of Frank's history.

Opens Tuesday, January 2nd.

Frank Dry Goods Company

Try Sentinel Want Ads.

NEW FRILLS ON NEW COATS.

(By Betty Brown.)

This new model, from the studio of Mrs. Alice Bailey, Fashion Art League of America, is much simpler and more elegant than the over-trimmed coats that were launched upon us earlier in the season—a hint to us that the graceful line will be more important than fussy trimming in the first spring coats.

The coat is made in green Bolivia cloth and skunk fur trims collar, cuffs and pockets. The black braid belt with green leather trimming and novelty buttons in green and black are sufficient ornamentation for this coat with the "military air." The English hat is black patent leather trimmed with dark green novelty ribbon.

Safety First----Trade at a Regular Store

"After Christmas" Savings For Men

"After Xmas" Special

125 Dozen MEN'S $1.00 Value SHIRTS

All new—all sizes—all kinds. Just taken from their cases and put on the bargain counter for tomorrow's selling. Every pattern good and every shirt perfect. See display in our south window tonight.

69c

Sale Starts Tomorrow

Men's, Boys' and Children's

Suits, Overcoats

And Furnishings

AT REAL SAVING PRICES FOR THE NEXT THIRTY DAYS

CLOTHING HOUSE Lehman's

808-810 CALHOUN STREET

"After Xmas" Special

55 Dozen MEN'S $1.50 and $2 SHIRTS

Plain, pleated and tucked fronts—coat style and attached cuffs—a great assortment of handsome patterns—all sizes for all men. Some of these are slightly mussed from Christmas handling. Special

79c

Sale Starts Tomorrow

Watch Our Windows Every Day "From Now Until February 1st" For Real Specials in Men's and Boys' "Better" Apparel

NEW OFFICERS ARE NAMED BY TWO ORDERS

Woodmen of the World and Knights of Pythias Hold Elections.

Two orders elected officers for the coming year at the annual meetings held Thursday evening. The result of the election of the Fort Wayne camp No. 128, Woodmen of the World was as follows: Past chancellor, W. D. Bitner; chancellor commander, A. C. Berger; adviser, lieutenant, Fred Zickan; banker, E. R. Hines; clerk, J. H. Crummitt, escort, William Dinnius; watchman, William Kiser; manager, three years, William Dinnius; delegates to biennial head encampment, Bloomington, Ind., J. H. Crummitt; alternate, A. C. Berger.

The Knights of Pythias elected as follows: Chancellor commander, Gail A. Baughman; vice chancellor, Charles Thompson; prelate, Lester W. Racine; master-at-arms, Paul Zentroff; inner guard, Jas. Mitchell; outer guard, Edward Dalman; master of work, W. C. Puckett; keeper of records and seals, C. K. Rieman; master of finance, L. M. Bane; master of exchequer, John C. Wenzler; trustee, Charles Kronmiller; host, William Donnel; assistant host, Lyman Lindsey; installing officer, Lyman Lindsey. C. K. Rieman was elected to his eighteenth consecutive term of office.

Inmates of St. Vincent's Orphans Home gave an entertainment Thursday evening at the Home for the members of the Knights of Columbus lodge.

WILLING WORKER'S SOCIETY.

Clothing for the worthy poor of the city to be distributed by society. All clothing leave at 1102 W. Berry St., 2nd floor. 1-atf

Frank's

Mightiest January Clearance Sale

Opens Tuesday, January 2nd

And Will Be Announced in Sunday's Journal-Gazette.

Watch for the Great News.

Frank Dry Goods Company

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Under New Management

-Automobile Service-

Within a Radius of Twenty Miles Daily Service for Collection of Hotel, Restaurant and Meat Market, Greases, Tallow, Bones and Garbage

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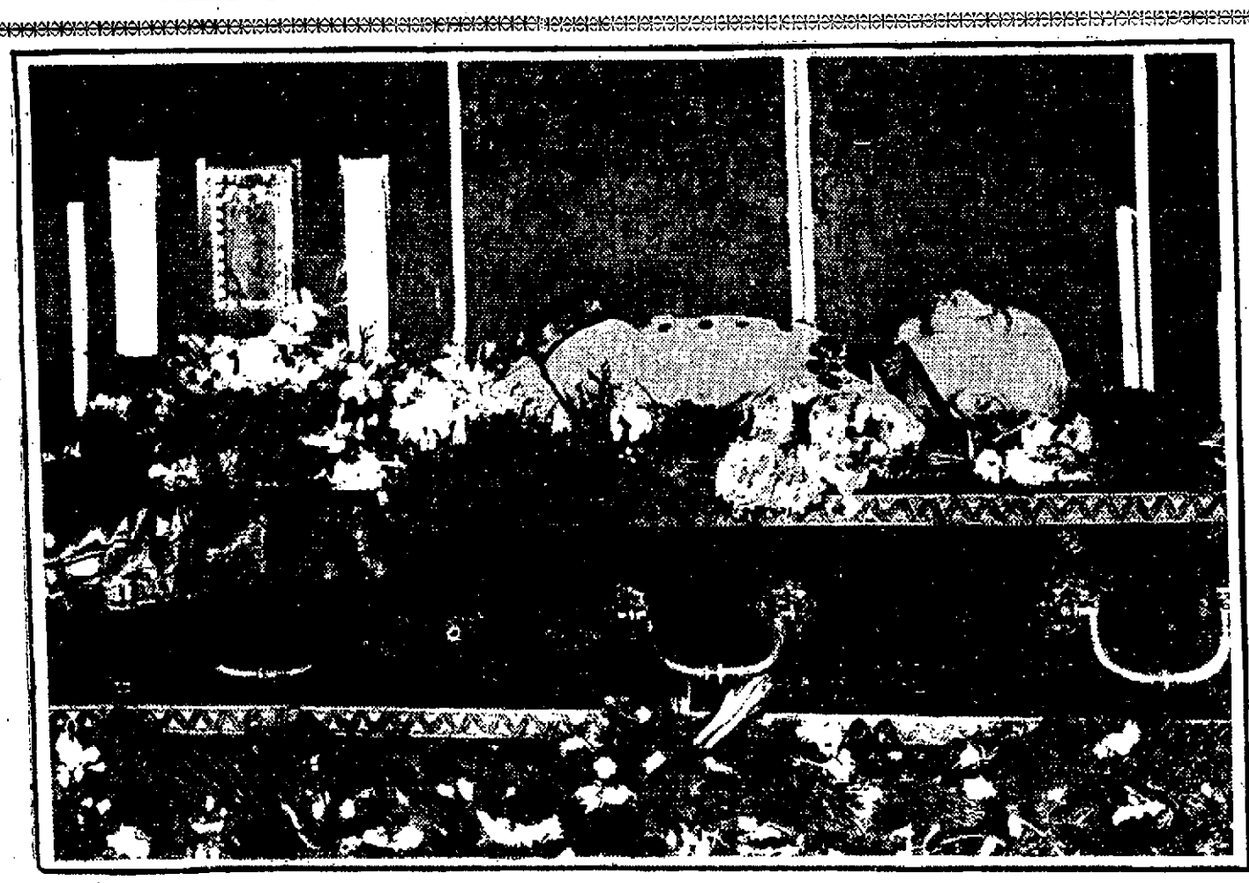
FIRST PICTURE OF DEAD RULER'S BODY LYING IN STATE.



This picture is the first to arrive in this country showing the body of Franz Joseph, emperor of Austria-Hungary, lying in state in Schoenbrunn Castle, Vienna. The castle was thrown open to the public and thousands of the subjects over which the dead emperor ruled so many years paid their last respects to Europe's "Man of Sorrows."

Fort Wayne Folk in Our Exchanges

Van Wert Bulletin: Miss Lucile Summers, of Fort Wayne, is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Greenewald.—Misses Maude, Florence and Marguerite Rison have returned from a visit with their sister, Mrs. Harry Lininger, in Fort Wayne.

Valparaiso Messenger: Judge Olds, of Fort Wayne, was a visitor to Valparaiso today.

Warsaw Union: Mark McGuire, of Fort Wayne, is visiting his mother and friends in Warsaw.—Miss Catherine Kratzsch and Mrs. P. F. Ditzer have returned to their home in Fort Wayne after a visit with C. R. Kratzsch.

Auburn Star: Miss Laura Rose, of South Main street, is spending several days in Fort Wayne with her brother, Judge James H. Rose and family.

Bluffton News: Miss Bessie Sale went to Fort Wayne this morning to visit a few days with Mrs. A. A. Abbott.—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Staver went home to Fort Wayne today, after spending Christmas in Bluffton with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Staver.

Hartford City News: Rev. Nicholas Keller, of St. Patrick's Catholic church in Fort Wayne, is spending a short time here visiting with her brother, Rev. John C. Keller, pastor of the Catholic church here.

Waterloo Press: Edwin Strock is at home from Fort Wayne visiting his mother, Mrs. George Frick.

Portland Sun: Miss Agnes Tiernan, of Fort Wayne, who visited with her sisters, the Misses Tiernan and her nephew, Rev. Father Travers, East Walnut street, returned home Wednesday.

Decatur Herald: At the Casper Lang home, on Fifth street, the family and Ernest Bailey, of Fort Wayne, gathered in reunion. Dr. and Mrs. Kortenbrer, of New Haven, were home and made the circle complete.

Avilla News: Mrs. F. Baum spent Christmas with her sister, Mrs. Collins Rherer and family in Fort Wayne.

Bluffton Banner: Ira Thompson, wife and two children, of Fort Wayne; Clyde Herbst, wife and son, of Liberty Center, are spending the week with the parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Thompson.—Mrs. Fred Sellers, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lafayette Mossburg, returned home to Fort Wayne last evening. Mrs. Robert Cochran, of Muncie, a sister, who has been visiting here, accompanied her to Fort Wayne for the night.

Huntington Press: Mr. and Mrs. Will Grim returned to their home in Fort Wayne Monday evening after a short visit here.—Miss Lulu Myers, of Fort Wayne, spent Christmas here.—Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Montz returned to Fort Wayne yesterday after spending a few days here.

Snowball dance, Friday night. Trier's Minuet. 28-2t

AUBURN NEWS.

Auburn, Ind., Dec. 29.—The Y. M. C. A. basket ball team will go to Warsaw, Saturday, where they will meet the team of that city. The locals defeated Warsaw in a game a few weeks ago and are hoping to repeat.

Miss Neille Culbertson entertained a company of girl friends Tuesday evening, at which time she announced her engagement to Arlington Seydell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Seydell, of this city. Both are well known young people. The groom to be is employed by the Wildwood Builders, of Fort Wayne.

Jack Bland has been quite ill with the grip for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Dilgard and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hicks spent Christmas with the ladies' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith, of Albion.

The wedding of Miss Grace Conrad, of this city, and A. J. Eby, of Lancaster, Pa., occurred Christmas morning at the home of the bride's mother, in this city. Rev. G. E. Whitten officiated at the wedding, which was in the presence of a few friends and relatives. Miss Conrad is a teacher in the Wolf Lake schools, and Mr. Eby is superintendent of the schools. They will make their future home at Wolf Lake.

The blind tiger case against George Baltz, of this city, was continued when it came up for hearing owing to the defendant failing to put in an appearance, as did the chief witness against him.

A letter received from Mrs. Cris Shaffer-Wildy, of Royston, Georgia, states that her grandson, Arthur Rafter, aged 19 years, was drowned while out fishing. The former was a resident of this city many years and her grandson was well known here also.

Harry Richards, who travels with a theatrical company, came to this city for a few days' visit with his family.

Karl Hoff, of Indianapolis, spent Christmas with his parents in this city.

Miss Nelle Harding enjoyed several days' visit this week with Mrs. W. F. Eichelberger, of Ashland, Ohio.

Miss Thelma Grover, of Pittsburg, Pa., is spending ten days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Grover, of North Cedar street. Miss Grover is a student in the Byron King School of Oratory, at Pittsburg.

Dr. C. A. Link, of Chicago, was a Christmas guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Link, of North Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Harrison, of Kalamazoo, Mich., have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charles Crew for several days.

Miss Ada Chew, of Garrett, spent Wednesday in this city with friends.

Russel Sheets, of Dayton, Ohio, is spending the Christmas vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Sheets.

WINONA LAKE NEWS.

Winona Lake, Ind., Dec. 29.—S. Greenfield of Knox, is visiting relatives here.

Miss Carrie Clark is spending the holiday season at Evansville.

Miss LaSalle is the guest of friends at Wabash.

Newton Homer underwent an operation at the McDonald hospital at Warsaw Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Fluegel and daughters, Olive and Winifred, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Shaffer in North Manchester.

Monday evening at the Mount building a very enjoyable Christmas party was given by the faculty of Winona college of liberal arts to the students of both colleges, members of the board and others on the park. The Christmas games, Christmas music, Christmas fun and Christmas refreshments made up a very pleasant evening for the many who attended.

The board of the Winona assembly met Tuesday for a conference regarding the summer. Those who were present were: E. O. Excell, of Chicago, Dr. W. E. Biederwolf, of Chicago, W. P. Carmichael, of St. Louis, S. F. Bowser, of Fort Wayne, Dr. W. D. Varr, of Kokomo, James H. Matchext and James H. Fribley, of Bourbon, W. A. Peterson, of Chicago, Dr. Thayer of Chicago, and the following from Winona Lake: Dr. S. C. Dickey, Dr. E. S. Scapt, Dr. Milford H. Lyon, Dr. P. E. Zartman, Rev. O. A. Nembin, V. M. Hatfield, Dr. J. C. Breckenridge, Dean Lawrence, Bert Keith, Mark H. Snepp, W. D. Frazer, Dr. Barnes, Charles Butler, C. B. Killen, Postmaster George DeHoff and Rev. J. A. Gordon.

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SOCIETY

The Informal dancing club and the Pi Gamma club dance are to bring the round of holiday dances to a close tonight. The Informals are to have a big affair at the Anthony hotel and the Pi Gammas are to have their annual hard times merry making in Tanner's hall. At the Anthony evening dress will be the rule, but the Pi Gamma boys and girls are to wear every day suits or even funny frocks, if they have any, and while the girls have no idea of looking anything less than pretty and charming in borrowed pinafores and aprons or in middy blouse costumes, the boys are gleefully planning to appear in soft shirts, or even sweaters, khaki costumes or whatever fancy leads them to decide upon. It must look like a hard time affair and the only place to get anything to eat will be a restaurant.

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The Da Capo club gave a fine dance last evening at the Anthony hotel and there was a general turnout of college boys and girls and others still in school, making over two hundred present. Mr. and Mrs. Perry Archer, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Puckett, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Henderson and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Archer chaperoned the young people. There was good music for dancing and out of town visitors were shown courteous attention so no one felt neglected.

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Dr. and Mrs. J. Wiley Thimlar have issued invitations to a large New Year's party which they will give at their home on South Webster street.

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Mrs. Timothy Foohey and son, James, have returned from a visit in Chicago.

Mrs. J. Wade Bailey is entertaining her sister, Miss Bertha Tyler, of Chicago.

Miss Mary Victor, of Van Wert, O., is the guest of Misses Jessie Grenameier and Evelyn Fox.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Dalman are to have as New Year's guests, Mr. and Mrs. John Dalman, of Chicago.

Mrs. Julia Lange and daughter, Miss Juliette, are planning to go to Florida, soon, to remain the rest of the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter T. Shepard and son, Cyrus, have returned from a visit in Newark, N. J., with relatives of Mr. Shepard.

Miss Blanche Morehouse, a student at a local business college, went to Coldwater, Mich., to spend the holidays with her parents.

Merritt W. Crosby, of St. Louis, Mo., and a former resident of Fort Wayne, is spending the holidays here with his relatives and friends.

Dr. W. D. Calvin has returned from a visit in Fairbury, Ill., but Mrs. Calvin will remain another week with relatives in Winona, Ill.

Rev. and Mrs. W. W. Daup, of Elkhart, are guests of the Misses Bellamy and Mrs. Caroline Howard and are to remain over New Year's.

Mrs. Mary Cooper, of Winona Lake, is to arrive on January 2, to visit her daughter, Mrs. Lyman K. Gould and family, of Packard avenue.

Mrs. Anna Volker gave a small theater party on Wednesday evening as a compliment to Mrs. E. H. Kirkland's niece, Miss Carina Hemple, of Chicago.

Leon J. Baker has returned to his studies at the U. S. naval academy, after a holiday visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Baker, of Old Fort place.

The engagement of Miss Lillian Wilding, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Wilding, of Forest Park boulevard, to Mr. Floyd Avis, of Hudson, Mich., was announced by Miss Pauline Saylor at a little party she gave on Thursday afternoon in honor of Miss Wilding and her most intimate friends. Miss Wilding is a student in domestic science at Milwaukee Downer college, and she was graduated from the Fort Wayne high school in the class of '15. Mr. Avis is a college man and is engaged in the electrical manufacturing business with his father, in Hudson.

Miss Josephine Dinnen gave a tea of lovely appointment on Thursday afternoon to honor her guest, Miss Joselle Carter, of Memphis, Tenn., and her cousins, Misses Geraldine and Josephine Fleming, of New York city. The rooms were bright with holiday greens, poinsettis blossoms and roses, and the service of the tea table was elegant and expressive of the same colors. Mrs. J. M. Dinnen received with her daughter and her guests of honor. Miss Sadie Fleming presided at the coffee. Other assisting young women were Misses Marguerite Niezer, Irene Miller, Mae Centlivre, Ethel Doud, Blanche Reuss and Charlotta McKinnie.

Miss Julia Calhoun, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Calhoun, gave a beautiful party on Friday afternoon at which she entertained fifty of her young friends. The children owned the house for a little while on the third floor round a beautiful Christmas tree, music by a victrola for dancing and lovely holiday decorations. On the first floor there were games and a luncheon that was as good as it was pretty to look at. Miss Helen Calhoun, who is visiting her uncle and aunt; Miss Margaret Saylor and Miss Bessie Freeman assisted Mrs. Calhoun in entertaining the children with games and in serving their luncheon. Everyone regretted the going home hour because everyone was having such a good time.

Master Ned Averill and his sister, Caroline, entertained many of their boy and girl friends last evening at a Christmas tree party, in the parish house of Trinity Episcopal church. The merry time began with the "howdy-dos" of the guests and music, dancing, refreshments, the beautiful Christmas tree and the many dainty favors kept every child minding his p's and q's to see that he didn't miss anything. Miss Marjorie Kilgore played for the dancing and Miss Virginia Randall directed it and helped out the bashful ones, who were afraid to try. The gayest of caps and bonnets were presented as favors, as were Santa Claus figures with hidden boxes of candy and funny toys. Everyone had a truly delightful time.

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Rea—Braddock.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Rea, who were married at the home of the bride in Tawas City, Mich., on Christmas day, have returned to this city and are at home at 1103 Columbia avenue. Mrs. Rea was Miss Rhoda Braddock, well known critic teacher in the Fort Wayne Normal school, and better known among the public school children as the lady who had charge of the school gardens. Mr. Rea is a Massachusetts man, who has lived here for several years and who is superintendent of the Dudlo Manufacturing company's plant. The wedding ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Brown, pastor of the Baptist church in Tawas City, and the wedding took place at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Braddock.

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Announce Engagement.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Dickerson announced the engagement of their daughter, Marjorie, to Vernon P. Wickliffe at a beautiful party that they gave on Tuesday afternoon at their home in Erie street. The day was also the bride-elect's twenty-first birthday anniversary. Miss Fannie Dickerson assisted her mother in entertaining and Cecil Dickerson, a brother, made the announcement. Mr. Wickliffe came here a year ago from Indianapolis, but his home is in Owensboro, Ky. He is a waiter at the Anthony hotel and both he and Miss Dickerson are superior young people in character, who are highly regarded by their many friends.

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MUSICALE IN MINUET HALL.

Boston Conservatory Students to Perform Saturday Afternoon.

Miss Ruth Gumpper, soprano, and Lloyd Grosvenor, violinist, are to assist in a pupils' program of Boston Conservatory students to be given in Minuet hall on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Fred Wentzler is piano accompanist. A social hour with Mr. Trier in charge will follow the program, which will consist of these numbers:

Robin Waltz ..... Keathley
Miss Enz.
Valse in E major.....Krogman
Mr. Brown.
Valse Grotesque ..... Heins
Miss Cooper.
Serenata ..... Macbeth
Mr. Zelbis.
Valse Caprice ..... Ever
Miss Reichelderfer.
Minuet in G major.....Mozart
Mr. Hess.
Intermezzo ..... Davis
Miss Grosvenor.
Valse Gracieuse ..... Schubert
Mr. Lockner.
By Moonlight ..... Bendel
Miss Manth.
La Irresistible ..... Dennell
Mr. Floering.
Polish Dance ..... Scharwenka
Miss Swain.
Liebesfraud ..... Kreishs
Miss Dinnius.
Intermezzo ..... Franke
Miss Metzger.
Aidde Ballet ..... Chaminade
Mr. Cooper.
Spanish Dance ..... Moszkowski
Mr. Wasmuth.
Valse in C sharp minor.....Chopin
Miss Erban.
Nachtstueck ..... Schumann
Mr. Wahrenberg.
Minuette L'Antique .....Paderewski
Mr. Grosvenor.
Serenade ..... Raffoewski
Mr. Jantz.
Valse in D flat.....Chopin
Miss James.
Butterfly Chase ..... Argos
Etude in D minor.....Loeschner
Miss Dibble.
Stanato Etude ..... Rubinstein
Miss Goldsmith.
Octave Study No. 2.....Kullak
Miss Hieber.
"At Dawning" ..... Cadman
"Thy Evening Eyes".....MacDowell
Miss Ruth Gumpper.
(Miss Caldwell accompanist.)
Salute E. Perth .....Kowalski
Misses James, Dibble, Hieber and Goldsmith.

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PUPILS' RECITAL IN ELYS HALL

Emil Bouillet's Advanced Violin Pupils to Give Program

A recital by advanced pupils of Mr. Bouillet will give an interesting program in Elks hall at 8:15 this evening. Mrs. Ringold will vary the program with a reading. Miss Helene Spindler is the accompanist. The numbers:

Hauser ..... Cradle Song
Bach .....Kleines Praeludium
Violin and Piano
Seitz .....
First Movement from Concerto in D. Major.
Iris Jones
Vogt ..... Boat Song
Gilbert Meyer
Mendelssohn ..... Spring Song
Iris Jones
MacDowell ..... Ungarish
Audrey Stickley
Brahms ..... Hungarian Dance
Myron Falk
Reading—Selected .....
.....Mrs. Selma Ringold
Allen .....Intro. et Polonaise
Lorin Brentlinger
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The very latest fad—a ring for each finger and a chain connecting all. Nance O'Neil, movie star, is shown wearing the ornament. Each ring is made according to the size of the finger.

AT THE MAJESTIC.

"The Birth of a Nation" Three Days, Starting Monday.

An event that is being looked forward to with a great deal of pleasure is the engagement in this city of D. W. Griffith's wonderful spectacle drama, "The Birth of a Nation," at the Majestic theater, which is for three days, two performances daily, the initial performanace being scheduled for New Year's matinee.

The production and its equipment comes here after a phenomenal business at the Colonial theater, Chicago. The management promises us the superb symphony orchestra of thirty picked musicians that have been engaged with this production during its long run in that city. There is no question that the score written by Carl Breil, who has written a number of praiseworthy compositions, is of the highest order and in this play his music is destined to be appreciated for a good many years to come. One of his numbers in particular, a dainty love song, marks the motif for several love passages throughout the picture. Many of the critics who have been sternest in their exaction of American dramatists announce their belief that D. W. Griffith in "The Birth of a Nation" has put over the great American play at last. The plain fact is that "The Birth of a Nation" is history. It tells of the civil war and the days of reconstruction. There is much to sadden and give pain, very much that one could wish otherwise. But it cannot be amended or blotted out and should not be. It is there and will remain forever. There is more to stimulate pride and thrill with patriotism. The valor of the blue and the gray is now a common heritage to all America. The high ideals, which actuated both sides, are generally admitted and everywhere esteemed. The fierce passion and prejudices of fifty years ago are buried, and a reunited country joys in the memories of the strife in which it was cemented into stable unity. We should know this history, all of it. We should teach it to our children in its entirety. The truth can do no harm, no matter how unpalatable it may be, and more of it is to be learned in three hours from "The Birth of a Nation" than can be gleaned in the same length of time from any other source now at command.

AT THE PALACE.

A WONDERFUL BILL

New Palace Specially Augmented Program for Week End

A bill that actually is a wonder is being dangled before the amusement hungry eyes of Fort Wayne for the remainder of the week at the New Palace. It is a specially augmented program with Miss Muriel Larimore and the Watson Twins in classic dances as the added attraction. Miss Larimore's equisite grace and charming stage presence never were more brilliantly exemplified than in the dainty little dance arrangement in which she appears at the New Palace. She does a Pavlowa number which that famous danseuse even now is presenting with remarkable success in New York. The Watson children are seen in several numbers. Then there's a mystery girl a dainty wisp of femininity who won't tell her right name dancing with Miss Larimore in one of the numbers.

Ralph Bevan and Beatrice Flint in a rowdy sort of skirt entitled "A Slight Interruption" proved the big laugh yesterday, with their tomfoolery. Bevan has a splendid singing voice too but spends most of his time in laughable monkeydoodle business. The Werner Amourous Trio have a real novelty number introducing some pillow juggling floor acrobatics and closing with a fifteen minute musicale. One of the trio does a Charley Chaplin imitation that is excrutiatingly funny. "Abe Stahibble" the pro to type of the comic strip character is introduced by Tillford the ventriloquist in a clever act in which a boy and girl help with pleasing voices. Charles Semon, the long narrow person with the funny sayings and the stiff funnier musical instruments; Robert LeRoy and Aileen Harvey in the amusing sketch "Rained In;" and the Bernivicci Brothers in a violin specialty, "A Night in Venice" complete this remarkable program.

Swiss Canine Act

The famous Swiss Canine act, the greatest trained dog novelty number ever presented in vaudeville will be one of the features on the new bill coming to the New Palace the day before New Years to remain four days. The little canines in this act have been schooled in a series of tricks that are almost uncanny and very much unlike canine.

DECATUR NEWS.

Decatur, Ind., Dec. 29.—Miss Dreda Parent entertained the Ic-Nick club at her home last evening.

The Eastern Star had a public installation of its officers last evening. Each member brought a guest and there was a social session following the installation.

Mrs. A. L. Brentlinger has gone to Columbia City for a visit with her parents.

Mrs. Lew Hammond and daughter, Esther, were guests of their daughter and sister, Mrs. Curt Fritzinger, at Monmouth.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Fryer, who were guests of the Tom Fisher family, returned to their home at Three Rivers, Mich.

Mrs. Mat Schafer and her guest, John Reuter, of Pittsburg, went to Fort Wayne for a visit.

Mrs. Clem Voglewede and son, Cedric, spent the day in Fort Wayne.

John Mosure, auditor-elect, as administrator of the estate of his fatherin-law, Samuel Yarger, late of near Tocsin, sold his farm of 43.75 acres in Wells county to Michael Essner for $7,500.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Ramsey returned to Columbia City. They visited with the Willard Dull family and others at Willshire, O.

Mrs. James Smith and daughter, Wilma, went to Fort Wayne for a visit with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Ray Teeple, at the St. Joseph hospital. Mrs. Teeple is recovering from an operation.

Mrs. C. L. Meibers and daughter, Tonk, will leave Saturday for Toledo, O., for a visit with the John Garard and Paul Jones families over New Year's.

Dan Hoffman, of Preble township, formerly township trustee, was a business visitor here. He has recovered from a severe attack of gall stones.

Mrs. Will Kaiser, of Fort Wayne, is the guest of the U. Deininger family.

Mrs. Laura Stewart and Miss Tracy Stevens returned to Wren, O., after a visit with the Clark brothers family.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Runyon, Mr. and Mrs. Burt Wolfe attended a Belt hog sale near Bluffton.

Lawrence Archbold returned from Holland, Mich., where he has been employed by the Holland-St. Louis Sugar company.

An extremely hard artificial wood of German invention is made of sawdust and chloride of magnesium.

One of the Few New Fur Designs

BY BETTY BROWN.

Fur is vanishing from our winter apparel, still some of the most exclusive January models are fur-decorated.

This Fashion Art costume is in green chiffon broadcloth lined with gay pussy willow taffeta. The wide front panel, which so artfully conceals the opening, and the kimona sleeves are hints of styles that will be popular during the late winter. The small hat is as new as the suit. It is black hatter's plush with a perky little feather pompom to trim it.

Northern Indiana News Brevities

Four youths were fined $1 and costs in the circuit court at Auburn by Judge Link for rifling a rural mail box near Corunna, early in December. The boys confessed to the job and claimed Cleveland, Ohio, as their homes.

Miss Clara Forbes, mezzo soprano and Clyde Fanning, bass baritone, will give a recital at Stroh New Year's evening under the direction of their instructor, Charles F. Isarr.

Twelve petitions asking congress to place an embargo on foodstuffs are being circulated in Goshen and will soon be forwarded to Washington.

Garrett Methodists will have a watch party Sunday night.

Banks at Kendallville report that they have had the biggest business in their history during the past year.

Grocers at Columbia City have signed an agreement to abolish all treating.

Warsaw will be headquarters for Captain C. B. Palmer's machine gun company of the Third regiment, I. N. G.

A romance of England culminated at Valparaiso when James E. Lucas, bookkeeper for the Oliver Chilled Plow company, of South Bend, married Miss Edith Petty, of Victoria, B. C.

The Belford Troupe, of Kendallville, famous acrobats, have gone into vaudeville being with the W. H. (Rube) Wilkins show. These performers have been with Ringling Bros., and other big circuses. They are rated as top notchers.

CHURUBUSCO COUPLE WED

Hillsdale, Mich., Dec. 29.—Miss Amanda E. Claxton, of Churubusco, and Weldon M. Bumgardner, a railroad clerk of the same place, were married here the forepart of the week. They will make their future home in Churubusco.

Beginners' dancing class forms Wednesday, 8 p. m. Trier's Minuet. 29-4t

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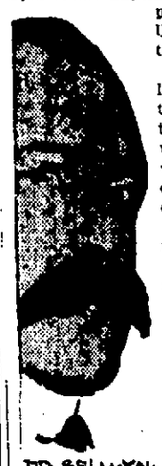
Selwyn-Brown Says World Scepter is Now Ours Permanently.

BY DR. ARTHUR SELWYN-BROWN
(Famous American Financial Authority.)

No country in all world history ever experienced anything approaching the prosperity of the United States during the past year.



DR. SELWYN-BROWN

The old year leaves us absolutely the wealthiest nation in the world, with a prosperity which measured in dollars and cents is colossal.

It should be remembered we have the greatest resources in raw materials, largest manufacturing plants, most extensive railroad and shipping facilities, and the greatest financial power.

During the war we undertook the bulk of manufacturing for both neutrals and belligerents.

Our exports this year were just a little under $3,000,000,000 as compared with $1,981,000,000 in 1915. In 1916 we imported $2,282,400,000 worth of goods as compared with $936,500,000 worth in 1915.

Our foreign commerce statistics show this trade expansion has extended to all parts of the world and we are now establishing permanent connections that will insure continued enjoyment of this large share in world commerce.

To have a healthy foreign commerce we must have efficient banking and financial facilities. We have provided these. American banks in 1916 established branches or agencies throughout the world. They invested over $200,000,000 in industrial plants in Russia, $60,000,000 in China, $150,000,000 in South America, and $200,000,000 in Canada, making the total of their Canadian investments $1,000,000,000. Our total investments in Europe, Asia, Central and South America have now reached about $10,000,000,000.

The industrial activity of any important manufacturing community is accurately reflected by pig iron statistics and bank clearings. Our pig iron production averaged 3,200,000 tons per month throughout 1916, a production about 70 per cent above normal.

Bank clearings in 27 of the principal cities averaged above $6,000,000,000 per week as compared with $4,300,000,000 a year ago. The total clearings this year were $243,865,000,000, and $174,991,000,000 in 1915. Our banking transactions increased 39 per cent.

The bank clearings indicate prosperity is being enjoyed from coast to coast.

Employes in most of the basic industries and largest industrial companies have received higher wages or bonuses. The average wage increase in eastern states amounted to 30 per cent compared with 1915, and 49 per cent with 1914.

Immense purchases of automobiles and other luxuries by farmers prove the year has been a precious one for them. While crops have not been so large, high prices made up for the slight decrease in quantity.

The corn crop was valued at $2,295,000,000 as compared with $1,755,000,000 in 1915. This year's wheat amounted in value to $1,025,000,000 as compared with $930,000,000 a year ago. The total value of our crops in 1916 was $6,375,000,000, as against $5,690,000,000 in 1915.

The enormous business done in 1916 required immense investments. New capital issues amounted to $3,704,000,000 as compared with $2,300,000,000 in the previous year.

The year's issue included $1,381,000,000 loaned to foreign governments, compared with $1,275,000,000 in 1915. In the past two years we have loaned foreign interest over $3,240,000,000. This money carries high interest and will be a source of income to us for some years.

Activities on the investment market are reflected in the returns of the New York stock exchange. These show a value of $1,629,300,000 in 1916, as compared with $1,097,100,000 in 1915—an increase of nearly 49 per cent.

Many new industries were established to make goods formerly supplied by European countries. Many chemical and metallurgical industries of permanent value were developed.

A great dye industry sprang up. We are now independent of Germany in dyes.

Our zinc and copper plants were enlarged, and all the metals, alloys and chemicals required in making munitions were made within the United States.

All these new and valuable industries will contribute to make us more than ever a self-contained and self-supporting nation.

Though we have been long negligent of our shipping, our merchants have taken advantage of the war to build a great mercantile marine. There are now 26,444 ships of 8,470,946 gross tons on the American shipping registry. Our ship yards built in 1916, 937 vessels of a gross tonnage of 325,414 tons, as compared with 1,157 vessels, of 235,122 tons, in 1915. Our ship yards are now engaged in building 500 steel steamers aggregating 1,500,000 tons. Most of the yards are working three shifts per day to turn out these ships speedily.

The railroads have naturally shared in the bountiful prosperity. There was little new construction, but large sums were expended in betterments. Gross earnings increased throughout the country.

Foreign commerce is largely carried on by means of credit. It is therefore impossible to express in concrete terms the exact value of our annual trading profit. It is indicated perhaps in a relative manner, by our gold reserves, as these form the basis of all commercial credits.

The present stock of gold in the United States is valued at $2,715,000,000, as compared with $2,066,732,138 in December, 1915. This increase in our gold stocks will easily support four times its amount of business credit. The increase in the deposits of banks and saving institutions shows that all classes in the community have shared in the golden flood.

In the 9,406 postal savings banks 660,000 persons have accounts amounting to $108,500,000 standing to their credit. This is nearly 50 per cent more than last year's returns indicated.

This property review for 1916 does not complete the story. Our wealth is intact, our mills full of work and there is an unlimited demand.

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The day of the Croup scare is over for those parents who wisely keep Foley's Honey and Tar Compound in the home ready for instant use.

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KENDALLVILLE NEWS

Kendallville, Ind., Dec. 29.—Word of the death of Mrs. Tillie Powell was received here Wednesday evening. Mrs. Powell, wife of Theodore Powell, died at her home in Cedar Springs, Mich., after a week's illness, death resulting from pneumonia. She was 37 years of age and was born near Helmer and was the daughter of William Krehl, of this city, who is now in Florida. Surviving relatives include the husband, two children, the father, three brothers and a sister, Mrs. Walter Mertz, of Fairfield Center. The body will be brought here for burial.

Mrs. R. O. Sinclair, of Chicago, went to Ligonier Thursday after visiting Capt. J. R. Smith and wife.

Mrs. Elizabeth Adams has returned to Chicago after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Martin Marsh and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Kraner and children, of Mishawaka, and Mr. and Mrs. Archie Kimmel, of Fort Wayne, were the guests of their mother, Mrs. Mary Kraner, and family over Christmas.

Miss Bertha Hoffmeyer returned to Elkhart Tuesday evening after spending Christmas with her mother, Mrs. Amelia Hoffmeyer, and other relatives.

Mrs. F. C. Hardy and son, Flint, are visiting relatives in Allegan, Mich.

Miss June Crawford, who is teaching in the schools at Hartford City, is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Crawford.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Mountz, of Garrett, and Charles Osborne, of Indianapolis, spent Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Osborne.

Mrs. Roselda Halsinger, Mrs. Gertrude Blaney and Mrs. Josephine Glosser were visitors in Fort Wayne Wednesday and called on their brother-in-law, G. P. Alexander, who is a patient at the Lutheran hospital.

Prof. Henry Rumpf and family, of Leo, Ind., are spending the week with Mr. Rumpf's mother, Mrs. Linderman, Richmond street.

Robert Brennan attended the Qui Vive dance at the Anthony hotel, Fort Wayne, Wednesday.

Rev. I. W. Smith, who has a charge at Pennville, Ind., is visiting his family this week.

Miss Laura Cuffell has closed her millinery store and will visit relatives and friends in Warsaw during January.

C. C. Beyer transacted business in Goshen Wednesday.

Ralph Field, of Cincinnati, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Field.

Mrs. E. A. Schafer has returned to her home in Laporte after spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Wilson. Miss Pearl Mason accompanied her home for a week-end visit.

Mrs. Blanche Culp, of Red Lake, Minn., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Jack Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stone, of Detroit, who have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. McNair, went to Fort Wayne Thursday to visit relatives and friends.

Miss Martha Chaffee has returned from a several months' visit with relatives at Memphis, Tenn., and other southern points.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Barron and son, Robert, of Chicago, are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Barron, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Kaiser are visiting the latter's mother, Mrs. Williams, at Lima, O.

Mr. and Mrs. Earle Johnston have returned to their home in St. Louis, Mo., after visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Johnston, over Christmas.

Sentinel Want Ads. Pay.

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Friday and Saturday will bring forth values that will be even better than those formerly given. The first few days of the sale have been tremendous. TO-DAY AND TO-MORROW we wish to make a CLEAN SWEEP OF OUR ENTIRE REMAINING STOCK.

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A special lot of beautiful $17.50 Street Dresses; special for this sale at

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$20.00 and $25.00 values in Serge, Charmeuse, Crepe de Chene, etc., for today

$13.65

Suits

Your choice of any suit that formerly sold up to $19.75 for today at

$7.95

75 Suits that are regular $45.00 values; all the newest styles and materials; special at

$15.88

Skirts

$5.50 and $6.00 Skirts in all the finest materials for today at

$3.75

A number of the newest skirts that would regularly sell for $7.50; special at

$4.95

COATS

Your choice of a limited quantity of $16.50 Coats; special at

$9.68

Beautiful velours, broadcloths, etc., that would sell up to $27.50, at

$16.75

Values to $35.00 in plush, broadcloth, etc., in a wide style range; for today at

$18.88

Blouses

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—**Calendars for the New Year** make timely and appreciated gifts. Our entire line of regular 25c calendars is marked at **10c** for your choice; and all other calendars at half price.

All Boxed Manicure and Toilet Sets—a Fourth Off

Boxed Stationery

—In fancy boxes, slightly soiled; regular 50c boxes for **25c**; regular $1.00 boxes, **50c.**

Handkerchiefs

—Hundreds of Handkerchiefs used for display purposes, of all kinds—**Half Price.**

—Initial Handkerchiefs, in broken lines of initials; regular 25c grade, **19c**; regular 50c grade, **38c.**

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—Also used for display purposes, and soiled from handling—choice, **10c, 19c and 38c.**

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Skirts formerly sold to $7.50 ..... **$4.95**
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—Broken lines of our best makes of Corsets and Brassieres in three lots:

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CORN SHOW HELD.

Washington Township Farmers Put on Exhibit at Washington School.

Under the auspices of the Washington Township Farmers' club a corn show was given Thursday at the Lincoln school. Yellow, white and mixed corn together with an exhibit of shelled corn was offered.

For the regular samples of yellow corn the awards were as follows: First, Nicie Fuller; second, Paul Forbes; third, Henry Fortmeyer. In the class for the best ten ears of white corn Frank Schimmoller won the winner. Harry Stolte took first prize in the class for mixed corn, Robert Reinick received second and William Miner third. George Stolte was winner in the class for the champion single ear.

In the bushel contest George Stolte with a percentage of 88.37 was first. His bushel of unshelled corn, sixty-eight pounds, weighed sixty and one-fourth pounds after shelling. William Blencke was second with a percentage of 85.29 and Willmer Racien third with a percentage of 81.93.

William Miner won first honors in the garden products contest. He had seventeen varieties.

Catching Cold.

Colds are due to a neglected skin and lack of ventilation in the sleeping room. People who take a cool sponge bath every morning before breakfast seldom take cold. When you do take cold get rid of it as quickly as possible. This is best accomplished by taking Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. This is an old time tried remedy that can be relied upon with implicit confidence. Obtainable everywhere.—Advertisement.

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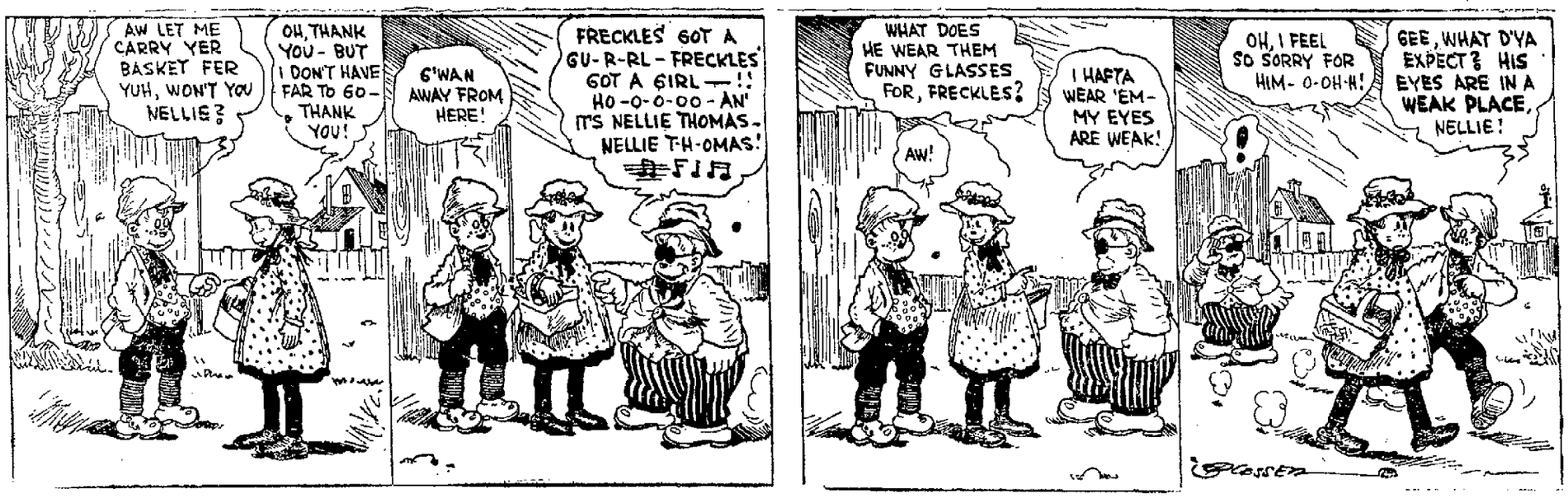
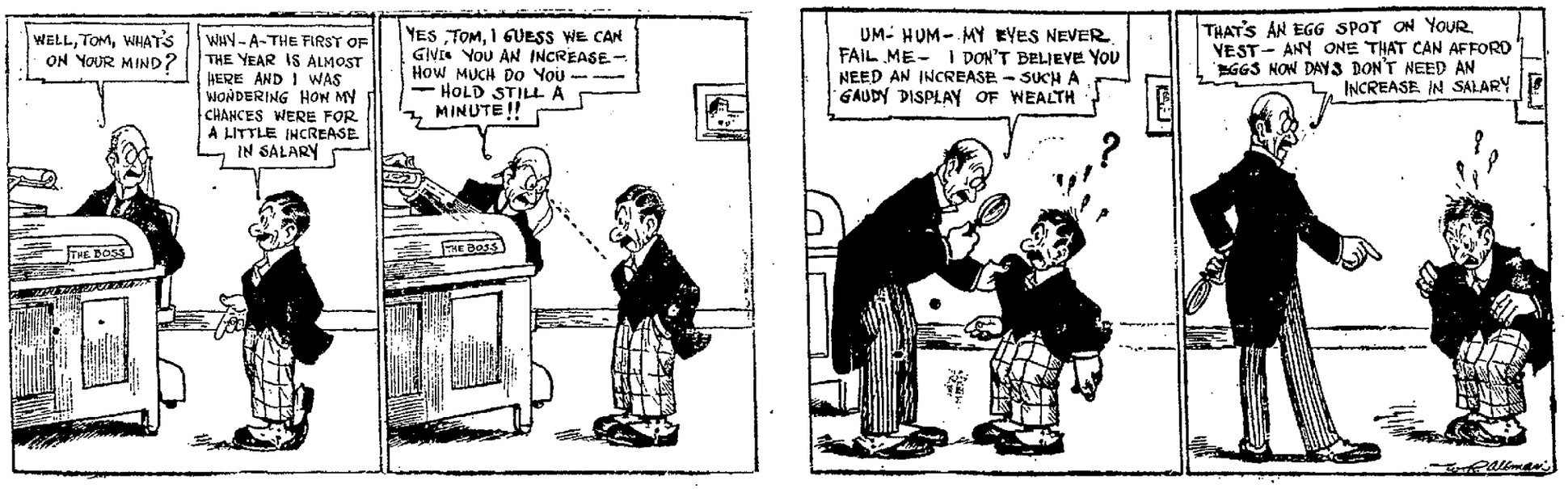
By Blosser


AW LET ME CARRY YER BASKET FER YUH, WON'T YOU NELLIE?
OH, THANK YOU- BUT I DON'T HAVE FAR TO GO- THANK YOU!
G'WAN AWAY FROM HERE!
FRECKLES GOT A GU-R-RL- FRECKLES GOT A GIRL —!! HO-O-O-OO-AN' IT'S NELLIE THOMAS- NELLIE T-H-OMAS!
WHAT DOES HE WEAR THEM FUNNY GLASSES FOR, FRECKLES?
AW!
I HAFTA WEAR 'EM- MY EYES ARE WEAK!
OH, I FEEL SO SORRY FOR HIM- O-OH-H!
GEE, WHAT D'YA EXPECT? HIS EYES ARE IN A WEAK PLACE, NELLIE!
BLOSSER

DOINGS OF THE DUFFS

TOM MUST BE A SPENDTHRIFT.

By Allman


WELL, TOM, WHAT'S ON YOUR MIND?
WHY-A-THE FIRST OF THE YEAR IS ALMOST HERE AND I WAS WONDERING HOW MY CHANCES WERE FOR A LITTLE INCREASE IN SALARY
THE BOSS
YES, TOM, I GUESS WE CAN GIVE YOU AN INCREASE— HOW MUCH DO YOU — — — HOLD STILL A MINUTE!!
THE BOSS
UM- HUM- MY EYES NEVER FAIL ME- I DON'T BELIEVE YOU NEED AN INCREASE - SUCH A GAUDY DISPLAY OF WEALTH
THAT'S AN EGG SPOT ON YOUR VEST- ANY ONE THAT CAN AFFORD EGGS NOW DAYS DON'T NEED AN INCREASE IN SALARY
ALLMAN

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LATEST NEWS

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COMMERCIAL CLUB PLANNING FOR 1917

Much Civic Good Accomplished During Year About Closed.

C. L. Biederwolf, secretary of the Commercial club, is closing up the year's business and arranging a schedule of the work to be done by the club during the year 1917. The past year has been one full of achievement in a civic way and it is hoped to make the coming year produce greater results.

During the past year the Commercial club has encouraged the city planning exhibit, boosted the convention hall project, taken a prominent interest in the St. Joe river dam improvement, and worked for better highways by participation in tours of various kinds. The convention hall proposition was possibly the best single civic activity to which the support of the Commercial club was given and that building proposition went through at a vote by a large majority.

Van B. Perrine, president of the Commercial club, is working with the club's secretary and planning the year's program.

URGES INTEREST IN WARD HISTORIC TOUR

Commercial Club Directors Sought for Meeting to Consider Plan.

Lee C. Ward, director of Ward's Historic Tour, which extends over the Lincoln and National highways in the states of Indiana, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Illinois, New York, Virginia, West Virginia and Maryland, has written Charles L. Biederwolf, secretary of the Commercial club, asking for a meeting of the board of directors of the club, either on January 4, 5 or 6, or January 12 and 13.

"This tour," says a letter from the Historic Tour bureau, Washington, Pa., "is a medium for the co-operation of commercial organizations in towns along the two highways, through national advertising and the wide distribution of the historic tour books." There is much scenery of historic interest along the two highways. The book which the Ward Historic Tour bureau proposes to put out would correspond to the Blue Book guide in many ways.

HOLD-UP AT A DICE GAME.

New York Fur Salesman is Fatally Shot at St. Louis.

St. Louis, Dec. 29.—Everett Inge, 31, salesman for a New York fur company, was shot and probably fatally wounded by one of two men who held up a dice game in a theater building here early today. Inge and two other men were playing when the robbers entered and asked to "shoot a quarter." When ordered to throw up his hands, Inge started to run and was shot by one of the robbers. Both hold-up men escaped.

ODD FELLOWS MEET.

Last Meeting in Old Hall Held by Harmony Lodge Thursday Night.

The last meeting in the old hall on West Berry street of Harmony lodge, No. 19, I. O. O. F., was held Thursday night, a social session being a feature and no degree work put on. Cyrus and Charles Fairfield and James Liggett, members who took their degrees in the old hall, were guests of honor. Harmony lodge, No. 19, will temporarily take quarters in Machinists' hall until their new home is completed.

SUCCUMBS TO PNEUMONIA.

Ottawa, Ont., Dec. 29.—Thomas Casegrain, postmaster general of Canada, died of pneumonia here today. He was born in Detroit in 1852. For many years he was one of the dominion's leading lawyers and was a statesman.

WILL MARK HISTORIC SPOT.

New York, Dec. 29.—The spot on the heights, Weehawken, N. J., where Alexander Hamilton fell in a duel with Aaron Burr, will be marked by a memorial to be erected by the Alexander Hamilton institute, it was announced today.

WILL INDICT NOBODY

New York, Dec. 29.—The federal grand jury which has heard a large amount of evidence in connection with the high cost of living is to conclude its sessions to-day and will be discharged. No indictments will be returned according to U. S. district attorney, Charles F. Clyne.

MAY SAVE EYE SIGHT

Robert Edington, of Decatur, who is a patient at the St. Joseph hospital, for treatment for his eye, which was pierced by a large sliver of steel, spent the forepart of the week at home. The doctors have some hopes of saving the sight of the eye. He was injured while chiseling a piece of steel from an old engine at the Decatur power plant, which he was taking apart preparatory to moving.

GIVE $5,000 FOR POOR.

Elkhart, Ind., Dec. 29.—W. H. Foster has contributed $5,000 toward a fund for the relief of the unfortunates in this city during the winter. He has also guaranteed to raise $5,000 additional among the business men of the city.

MENDING OF SEWER WILL TAKE WEEKS

Rise in River Fills Full Length of Interceptor With Water.

City officials are hoping for cold weather.

Zero temperature would knit up the small bodies of water and stop the rise in the St. Mary's river. The river has come up three feet in the past two days. It has backed up into the big interceptor and filled the sewer line from end to end. The sewer cannot be repaired, at the point where it caved in, near the Central foundry, until a part of the water is removed from the five foot tube.

The two story, brick foundry building, whose walls were cracked Thursday, when ground about the foundation of the structure had given way, is reasonably insured against collapse. Heavy base of timbers has been forced under the foundation at the point near the crater. Engineers think the building will be held solid against collapse.

The frame store house, which stood directly over the crumbling earth of the cave in, is upheld by a net work of stilts. It will be moved away from the aperture until after repairs are made to the interceptor.

Work of preparing for the repairs started yesterday. City laborers, under Street Superintendent Strodel, began digging away the loose earth of the crater, above the hole in the sewer. An open shaft will be constructed from the ground surface to the sewer top, thirty feet below, so that work can be carried on in safty.

But actual repairs of the big, brick walled, interceptor cannot go on until the water is out of the sewer. It will be necessary to wall up the west mouth of the tunnel, where it is entered by the St. Mary's river, between Berry and Wilson streets. When the sewer is drained the earth from the cave-in will be removed and mending of the wall started.

PLAY NEW GAME.

Firemen Growing Dexterous in the Use of Rubber Rings.

"Atta boy, Jarvis."

"Good eye, Jim."

"Come on you George."

These were a few of the excited and high pitched exclamations which issued from behind the formable walls of the central fire station Thursday.

Passers-bye were not sure whether it was a basket ball game, indoor base ball, bowling or even a foot race which might be on the firemen's home. It was none of these. A novelty company had presented the firemen with a new game called pussy foot. Apparatus for playing the game consists of a large board, from which protrudes wire hooks. Below the hooks are numbers. The firemen stand back twenty pace and throw rubber bands, which look much like the rings that mother placed on self-sealer cans, at the numbered board.

Some of the men miss the entire board when they toss the rings. The orbs are lighter than horse shoes you see. But by Thursday evening the men could nearly always strike number three when they threw at number seven.

One or two of the men expect to gain skill when they go home by tossing chunks of coal into the stove, through the opened stove door, from a point across the room. Anyway the new game is good for lungs and keys up nerves until a mere fire is a mild event.

LUCKY BOYS.

City Light Department is Paying Only Eighty-five Cents Per Ton.

The city light department pays eighty-five cents a ton for the coal which drives the steam into its boilers.

This is $3 per ton less than most of the large concerns are paying for the black mineral. Henry M. Zauner, chief engineer of the dight department, is receiving credit for the lucky buy, which has furnished plenty of coal to the light department, even in car shortage times.

Zauner caused a contract to be signed with a coal company in Indianapolis, last April, for the eighty-five cent coal. The fuel comes from southern Indiana. A car and a half of coal is used every day by the city plant. Coal for a month ahead has been stored in the big bunkers, near Lawton park, in anticipation of car shortage or other commercial disorder.

All The Comfort

Strings of electric lights will encircle the lake in Reservoir park to light the way of night skaters. The lights are being installed, Friday. Patrolman on that beat has been instructed to turn the lights on at 6:30 each evening and to extinguish them at 10:30. When the lights flicker out it is the mild "good night" to skaters.

Thousands have been whizzing over the several park lakes during the holidays. The ice is smooth and absolutely safe, Park Superintendent Getz announces. Lakeside park lagoons are in perfect condition for skating.

To Save Electricity

Nitrogen lamp lights are being installed at street intersections in the south end. The new lights will take the place of the sputtering arc lamps which have hung above the corners for years. The new lamps are power savers. They make the same light on 200 watts of electricity as the arc lights show with 360 watts.

Get Their Pay

City firemen and policemen will have another pay day on Saturday. Ordinarily they would not be paid until the first of the month. But they want to face the new year with a pocket full of money. Only that is not the reason why they are paid now. The city controller wants to have his books all balanced up by the first of the year and that little item is a part of this year's business.

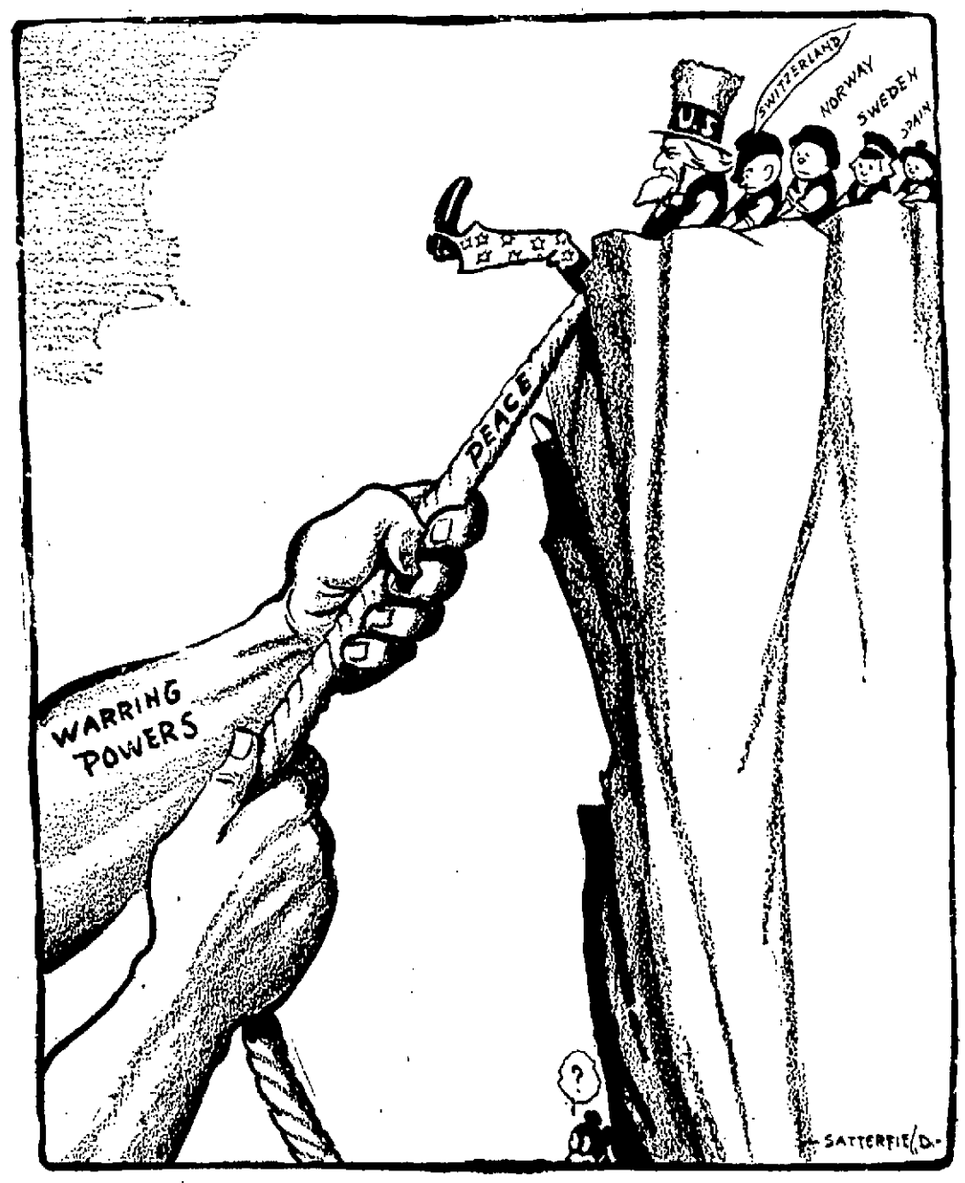
Hauling Cinders

Park workmen are hauling cinders on Anthony boulevard, south of Pontiac, this week. They have placed cinders along the drive way for more than a half mile during the past three weeks.

BIRTH RECORD

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John B. Fowler, 2534 Warsaw street—a girl.

THE TUG OF WAR!



TWO GO TO PRISON BY JUDGE'S RULING

James Collins and John Betley Given Terms in State Prison.

James Collins, charged with burglary, was sentenced to from two to fourteen years in the state prison, and John Betley, held for grand larceny, was given from one to fourteen years in the same institution by Judge Eggemann in circuit court Friday. George Bridgewater, charged with petit larceny, was fined $1 and sentenced to 90 days on the penal farm.

Collins entered the plant of the B. & B. Knitting company on November 27, stealing sweaters. Betley stole $60 from the Meyer Brothers' drug store last August. Bridgewater took chilli con carni valued at $10 from the Centlivre hotel in November.

To Foreclose Lien.

The Carmichael Gravel company, of Warren, has filed suit against the General Electric company, Wells Brothers and the Fort Wayne Electric works to foreclose a lien and for judgment of $6,500, it being alleged Wells Brothers, a contracting firm of Illinois, purchased of the plaintiff materials which it used in the construction of buildings for the General Electric company in Fort Wayne. H. E. Billings and Vesey & Vesey are attorneys for the plaintiff.

Petition in Bankruptcy.

Richard I. Evans, secretary of the Evans Coal company, has filed a petition in bankruptcy in the United States district court, listing assets of $93 and liabilitiesh of $2,444.45.

Says Husband Gambled.

Bessie Green has filed suit for divorce against Clarence Green in the superior court. The couple were married April 23, 1910, and separated May 5, 1916. The defendant is charged with failure to provide a home; with drunkenness, with associating and with being a gambler. Green, on one occasion, it is alleged, told her he would give her $50 and all the household goods if she would get a divorce. Alimony of $1,000 is asked in addition to a divorce. Snouffer & Sherrod are attorneys for the plaintiff.

Non-Support Alleged.

Cruelty, profanity and non-support are alleged in a divorce suit filed by Katie Bonn against Alfred Bonn. The couple were married in 1912 and separated in January, 1913. Custody of a four-year-old boy is asked. Emrick & Emrick are attorneys for the plaintiff.

Certifies Ownership.

The Fort Wayne Drug company has certified to the court that it is owner of the business known as the Hoosier Paint works and that the Hoosier Paint works is the trade name of the manufacturing department of the drug company.

Found for Defendant.

A jury in the superior court Thursday night returned a verdict for the defendant in the case of Benjamin Bogue, director of a school for stammering at Indianapolis, against Harrison Fosnaugh to collect $150 on note, alleged given in payment of the tuition of a son of the defendant at the school. The jury was out eight hours.

Suit for $2,000 Damages.

Damages of $2,000 are asked in a suit of Peter Hausch, by his next friend, George Hausch, against Wayne Spoke & Bending company, it being alleged the plaintiff, aged 7, had both legs above the ankle broken when an iron truck on the premises of the defendant fell on him. Negligence of the defendant is charged in allowing the truck in a place where children of the locality were accustomed to play. Howard Benninghoff is attorney for the plaintiff.

What They Will Do.

As the time nears for several of the present county officials to leave office, announcements are made as to the business which they will enter. A. C. Gladieux, sheriff, will be connected with the Wayne Health & Accident Insurance company. Henry Branning, deputy sheriff, will take employment with the Peoples Trust & Savings company. Albert J. Black, county commissioner, will enter the firm of Clausmeyer & Black, dealers in farm implements and tile. Allen Hursh, recorder, will do a notary business and also oculist's work.

Verdict for the Defendant

A jury in the circuit court at Bluffton Thursday afternoon returned a verdict for the defendant in the suit on contract of Alfred H. Humphrey against Henry Franke, tried at Bluffton on change of venue from the Allen circuit court. The complaint asked $600 for a shipment of lumber, but the defendant alleged the lumber was not according to contract.

Notes of the Courts.

J. Fred France, clerk of the Indiana supreme court, was in Fort Wayne Thursday calling on friends.

The suit of Bessie Green against Jessie Green, for a divorce, has been dismissed in the superior court.

John Lanternier, chief deputy in the office of the county clerk, who has resigned, entertained members of the clerk's force of the office Thursday night at his home.

A final report has been filed by John M. Kuhns, executor of the estate of Charlotte Moritz.

Loretta M. Meads has been granted a divorce in superior court from Fred A. Meads and the custody of a daughter. Meads is ordered by the court to contribute $9 a month support money.

Employment Bureau Report.

The report of the Fort Wayne branch of the state free employment bureau for the week ending December 28, shows that eighteen males sought work and that all were found positions. Nineteen persons applied to the bureau for male help. So far this quarter, which closes December 31, 678 males sought employment and 646 were found work. A total of 784 persons asked the bureau during the quarter to find them male help. Eight females asked the bureau for work during the week and all were placed in positions. Eleven persons asked the employment agency to find them female help. For the quarter 103 women sought work and 92 were found jobs. A total of 144 persons asked the bureau to find them female help. L. S. C. Schroeder, director of the bureau for the last five years, will retire from office January 2 after a most efficient service.

Marriage Licenses.

Bert C. Heller, 32, broker, and Ruth I. Huffman, 26.

Karl G. Rase, 29, Pennsylvania helper, and Elizabeth Werner, 33, city.

Air Bubbles and Sand Give Water Its Milky Appearance

Residents in the west and south parts of the city have made many complaints about city water appearing milky during the past two weeks. The water is filled with white bubbles and in some cases seem to hold rust particles.

Engineers of the waterworks department have tried hard to remedy the condition, they say. Air in the big lines is responsible for much of the trouble they give out. Leaky valves may cause this, they say. The air and water mixture makes the water appear white, but the water clears upon standing. Complete overhauling of the big engines and main feed pipe will remedy at least part of the trouble.

Fact that No. 2 pumping station has experienced much engine trouble of late is partly to blame, it is said. The station has been shut down for repairs a part of the time. The water system is disorganized when the No. 2 station is stilled and the other two houses forced to pump all water supplied.

Sand from the deep water wells also creeps into the main lines at times. Chemistry of the hard water itself aids in producing the roily offect, it is given out.

But the water is not unhealthy, even now, when it is the most roily in several months. Report just received from the chemist says the water is satisfactory from a health standpoint. J. W. Diggs, of Indianapolis, has been making careful analysis of the water every week for the past three months. There is absolutely no danger of disease from the city water, he says.

FT. WAYNE SOLDIERS ARE KEPT ON THE JOB

More Indiana Troops Quit Llano Grande Camp for Return Northward.

San Antonio, Texas, Dec. 29.—Several Indiana organizations recently ordered released from border service will leave Llano Grande today for Fort Benjamin Harrison, the movement including the first battalion field artillery (less battery D); signal and ambulance companies, and field hospital. The second New York field artillery also will start home from McAllen today. Illinois and Wisconsin National Guard organizations also departed for their homes today.

The largest return movement still to be made is that of Pennsylvania troops at El Paso. None of these organizations designated to go home will start until after January 1.

TEMPERANCE WORKERS

A meeting of the Allen County Dry Federation was scheduled for the public library, second floor, Friday afternoon. This meeting was to consider the success with which petitions to aid the cause of a dry state were being circulated over Allen County. More than 15,000 of these petitions have been placed in circulation. Members of the Women's Christian Temperance Union are co-operating with the dry federation in the effort to make the state dry.

SMALL WANTED BIG LIFE RISK POLICY

Sought Joint Insurance on Wife, Says Witness at Murder Trial.

Ossipee, N. H., Dec. 29.—The plan of Frederick L. Small on trial here for the murder of his wife, Mrs. Florence A. Small, at their home in Mountain View to obtain an insurance policy for $20,000 covering the lives of both was the subject of the first testimony at today's session. Winfield S. Chase, formerly an insurance agent told of a talk with Small regarding such a policy but said it was not issued.

Charles E. Merritt, general agent of another insurance company said that a $20,000 joint policy on the lives of Small and his wife had been issued by his company. On March 13 Small paid the first annual premium of $1,107.60. The policy, Merritt testified was payable to the survivor, or if both should die, to Small's nephew, Nathaniel M. Mitchell. On cross examination Merritt said Mrs. Small was in an adjoining room when the polley was discussed and took no part in the conversation.

THE DEATHS.

ERWIN.

William K. Erwin, son of the late Richard K. Erwin, residing six miles west of the city, on the old Erwin homestead, died Thursday night at the Hope hospital. Death was due to blood poisoning which developed from a minor injury. He was removed to the hospital two weeks ago and since that time his condition has been serious. His brothers and sisters and members of his immediate family had been at his bedside continually. Mr. Erwin was a member of Harmony lodge, No. 19, I. O. O. F. and was a man of excellent character whose friends and acquaintances were many. Besides the widow he is survived by a son, Harold; the aged mother, four sisters, Mrs. J. S. Bird, of Angola; Mrs. J. C. Murchland, of Monroeville; Mrs. N. B. Kennedy, and Mrs. E. E. Wilkinson, and three brothers, R. K. Erwin, jr., D. F. Erwin and James S. Erwin, of Fort Wayne. He was a cousin of Judge R. K. Erwin, of the state supreme court.

The remains were removed to the residence of a brother, James Erwin, 901 Third street. Funeral services Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the residence, Rev. D. H. Guild officiating. Harmony lodge No. 19, I. O. O. F., will have charge of the services at Lindenwood.

KIRCHEFER.

Word was received this morning by Fort Wayne friends of the death on December 28, in Denver, Col., of Mrs. Ida Kirchefer, after a long illness from pulmonary tuberculosis. Mrs. Kirchefer lived in Fort Wayne a number of years and was identified with the congregation of Plymouth church, of which she was a member. No relatives survive in this city, but there are two sons in the west. The Daughters of Rebekah have charge of the funeral, which will be held on Saturday.

SOUTHERN.

Mrs. Margaret Southern, a former resident of Fort Wayne, died a few days ago at an Indianapolis hospital, where she had undergone an operation. She was the wife of William Southern, who was also a former resident of this city. The body passed through Fort Wayne Thursday afternoon enroute to Lima, Ohio.

EITER.

John H. Eiter, aged 33 years, died Thursday night at St. Joseph's hospital following an illness of several years. Death was due to progressive muscular atrophy. The deceased had been bedfast since last September. He was born in this city and attended the St. Patrick's school. He was united in marriage to Miss Cora Wilcox in 1907. For sixteen years he was a merchant at Wabash. He was a member of the Machinists' union and the Ben Hurs. Surviving he leaves the widow and three children—Kenneth, Virginia and Lyle; the father, Henry Eiter, sr.; one sister, Mrs. Fred Ban, of Celina, Ohio, and two brothers, Henry and Robert, of this city. He resided at 838 West DeWald street. The Ben Hurs will hold services at the residence Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

FUNERAL SERVICES.

Hauschild.—Funeral services for Henry Hauschild will be held Saturday morning at 2 o'clock from Klaehn & Melching chapel. Rev. G. W. F. Doege officiating. Interment at Concordia. Services will be private, but friends may view the remains until Saturday noon.

Boegel.—Funeral services for Mrs. Elizabeth Boegel will be held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the residence, 915 Horace street, and at 2:30 o'clock at St. John Reformed church, Rev. J. T. Bosch officiating. Interment at Lindenwood.

Hankens.—Funeral services for Mrs. Clara Hankens will be held Saturday morning at 8:30 o'clock at the residence, 445 East Suttenfield street and at nine o'clock at St. Peter's Catholic church. Interment at the Catholic cemetery.

Flack—Funeral services for Mrs. Lucy Flack will be held at Lagrange Sunday afternoon. The body will be shipped to that city Sunday morning.

Misses Mabel Martin, Anna Young and Blanche Brown left on Friday afternoon for Chicago, to remain over New Year's with friends and relatives.

PLAN WATCH MEETING AT IMMANUEL CHURCH

Prepare Fine Program for New Year's Eve Service at Baptist Church.

After the regular Sunday evening services at the Immanuel Baptist church this week a watch night service will be held and a fine program rendered. A reception will be held for members of the church who have joined during the past year, during the rendering of the program.

The church has been prosperous and successful in the work of doing good during the year of 1916 and a spirit of gratitude prevails among its members. The church was especially fortunate in the preacher who conducted the evangelistic services there during the simultaneous campaign in the city and the members are extremely thankful for the growth of the church and the betterment of every department which has been its lot in the past year.

The program follows Orchestra selection; vocal solo, W. H. Halewood; piano solo, Mrs. Cora Ballard; piano and violin duet, Harry Brattain and Ensign Carrington; recitation and song, Edna Bedout; coronet and trombone solo, Mr. and Mrs. Mel Wolford; vocal solo, Miss Edna Kempheus; violin solo, Miss Bertha Werkman; vocal solo, Miss Urma Velvick; piano solo, Miss Esther Thompson; orchestra selection; coronet solo, Miss Marie Steury; vocal solo, Mrs. F. S. Kellogg; selection, mixed quartet; piano solo, Mrs. Laura Velvick; vocal solo, Miss Gertrude Potter.

SALE OF SEALS WILL REACH 400,000 MARK

Anti-Tuberculosis League Appreciates Interest Manifested.

While the final count of the sale of Christmas Red Cross seals conducted under the auspices of the Fort Wayne Tuberculosis league to raise money with which to carry on the fight against the white plague cannot be determined for several days, it is believed certain the desired 400,000 mark will have been reached. Many of the seals are still out and people soon send in the money for them. The drug stores have not been visited for the purpose of collecting the money derived in the sales through them. At noon Friday the total sales stood at 380,000.

Officials of the league were enthusiastic in their appreciation of the interest that has been taken this year and the assistance that has been rendered. No little credit they say is due to Mrs. J. R. Meriwether, who has been at the office of the league every day directing the work. Miss Irene Byron was also a big factor in making the campaign the phenominal success that it has been, surpassing all previous records both locally and in the middle west.

Miss Byron will leave Saturday morning for South Bend, where she will visit the Healthwin hospital and examine the plans for an addition that is to be built to that institution. The visit is made with the view of securing ideas for the county tuberculosis hospital to be erected in Allen county next spring.

LITTLE PEACE NEWS AT WASHINGTON END

Washington, Dec. 29.—Turkey's reply to President Wilson's peace note was received today at the state department. It is substantially the same as Germany's and Austria's.

This was the only development here today in the peace movement.

Officials carefully watched the foreign press comment and were interested in the announcement that the reply of the allies to the original German proposals was ready.

Until the allies reply also to President Wilson's note no move by this government is at all likely. Meanwhile the announced policy of silence prevails.

PACKARD DEALERS LEAVE FOR HOMES

Thirteen dealers in Packard pianos from Missouri, Kansas and Texas concluded a three days' visit at the factory of the Packard company in Fort Wayne Friday noon and left for their homes. Friday they were shown over the factory and explained the Packard business policy. The dealers were brought to the city in a special car by B. R. Brassfield, western representative for the Packard company. Today seven agents of the Packard company arrived in the city to arrange a program for the year 1917.

WABASH IS DOING IT NOW.

Initial Quarterly Dividend on Its Preferred "A" Stock.

New York, Dec. 29.—The Wabash Railway company today declared an initial quarterly dividend of 1 per cent on its preferred "A" stock.

Rurode's

The Final Clean-Up in *Millinery*

ALL WINTER HATS MUST GO

Your choice of any trimmed hat in our stock, Saturday morning from 9 to 12 o'clock, for

$1.00

Positively no hats sold at that price after 12 o'clock. Be on hand to get first choice.

Untrimmed Shapes

A lot of untrimmed hats of good quality silk velvet in small and medium sized shapes to close out at

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Muslinwear

For Less

During the Christmas rush a lot of Muslinwear was soiled and mussed; you will find these garments on a special table for quick selling. The prices have been greatly reduced.

All Through the Store

You will find remnants, odd lots and discontinued lines priced for a quick clean-up.

NEWS OF FORT WAYNE'S NEIGHBORS

HARTFORD CITY MAN MURDERED IN CHICAGO

Two Negroes Are Held Charged With the Crime—Father Received Word.

Hartford City, Ind., Dec. 29.—George Jackson, Harrison township farmer, living north of the city, received a telegram, Thursday morning, stating that his son, Albert J. Jackson, had been shot in Chicago. Jackson was murdered by negroes.

The following dispatch from Chicago tells of the tragedy:

"Two negroes suspected of murdering Albert J. Jackson, a bartender in John F. Butterly's saloon, at 4812 Broadway, each flatly accused the other yesterday of the assassination.

"They are Oscar Steiner, of 1045 Wilson avenue, and Gilmore L. Lindsey, of 908 Wilson avenue. Both were held to the grand jury without bail by the coroner's jury. The rifle with which Jackson was killed Tuesdday night is Lindsey's property.

"Lindsey said that Steiner came to his home and asked to borrow a small rifle which he used for shooting rats. He said Steiner said he was going to get Jackson. Lindsey advised against violence, he testified, but when Steiner insisted loaned him the rifle and accompanied him.

"'As we came near the saloon Steiner threw an object against the door,' he said. 'When Jackson ran out to see what was up Steiner let him have it. Then he came back, handed me the rifle and we walked to Leland avenue, where we parted.'"

TRY TO POISON MARSHAL.

Hartford City Official Fears for His Life.

Hartford City, Ind., Dec. 29.—Samples of water taken from the well at the home of Marshal Jacob Pursley were sent to the state chemist for analysis Thursday after what appears to be an attempt to poison the marshal and his family through the medium of the well.

For several months the vicinity into which Mr. Pursley moved a short time ago has been in a continual turmoil and for a time it appeared as if that entire section of the city would be drawn into the courts here in the Mill street rows in which over twenty affidavits were filed within a few days in the court of Justice Croninger. On account of his official activities with the police at that time there is a great deal of enmity towards Mr. Pursley in that part of the city.

GIVES FAVORABLE REPORT.

Committee Finds Piano Factory Just as Represented.

Bluffton, Ind., Dec. 29.—The piano factory committee which held a conference Wednesday at Chicago, with Mr. Harry C. Bays, president of the Bays Piano company, arrived in Bluffton yesterday morning, and made a very satisfactory report at a mass meeting of citizens held at 3:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the city building.

The committee of three, composed of R. S. Todd, M. K. Williamson and Carl Benham, appointed by the president of the Chamber of Commerce to meet Mr. Bays at Chicago for a conference, came with a highly favorable report of the Bays company and of their investigations of the proposition submitted by Mr. Bays and statements of the factory's present force of laborers, output, growing business, business connections with selling agencies, need for a new site, etc., and as the committee stated in their advance message on Wednesday, their investigations proved the proposition submitted and the Bays company as an industrial institution beyond their expectations.

TERRELL CASE DISMISSED.

Outgoing Prosecuting Attorney Clears Docket for Successor.

Bluffton, Ind., Dec. 29.—An intimation of the death of the defendant filed in the case of the state against John W. Terrell, charged with the murder of his son-in-law, Melvin Wolfe, is the final echo of one of the most sensational murder cases ever tried in northern Indiana. Mr. Terrell passed away last fall at the home of a daughter at Muncie and the charge standing against him was removed from the docket of the Wells circuit court yesterday morning by the action of Prosecuting Attorney Lee Sprague. Terrell spent some time in the Richmond insane asylum but was finally released and permitted to spend his declining years with his children.

The removal of the Terrell case from the docket was accompanied by similar action in forty-eight cases. Mr. Sprague wishing to clean the docket of dead cases before his successor, Orville Pursley, takes office January 1.

INCREASE CAPITAL STOCK.

Double Fabric Tire Company Will Be $900,000 Concern.

Auburn, Ind., Dec. 29.—Negotiations were closed Wednesday afternoon at 5 o'clock whereby the capital stock of the Double Fabric Tire company of Auburn will be increased from $10,000 to $900,000.

Such an announcement means a big thing for Auburn. With the increased capital, this growing industry will at once start to increase its production, more buildings will be erected and more men will be employed.

Of the capital stock $300,000 will be preferred and $600,000 will be common. Papers showing the increase will be filed with the secretary of state at Indianapolis within the next few days.

QUARANTINE LIFTED.

Portland, Ind., Dec. 29.—Two homes which have been under smallpox quarantine have been properly fumigated and the quarantine lifted Wednesday evening. The home of County Health Secretary Dr. M. M. Moran is one of the places, the doctor having fully recovered from a mild form of the disease, while the other is that of William Glassford, at the end of East Race street. Mrs. T. A. Spitzer is the only new victim of the malady and it is the general opinion that the scare in Portland is over with a total of eight cases in all in the city during the fright. The Spitzer home has been quarantined. The moving picture shows will open Monday. The Crystal is taking this time to undergo repairs. The room is being repapered and the seating of the show house is also being changed.

CITIZENS MEETING CALLED.

Decatur, Ind., Dec. 29.—A meeting of Adams county citizens will be held within a week to further the state parks project. The meeting will be called by Mr. T. M. Gallogy, who has the work in this county in charge. Invitations will be issued to Monroe, Berne, Geneva, Linn Grove and other cities in the county to have representatives at the meeting. Efforts will be made to raise the $300 required of this county as soon as possible so that Turkey Run may be presented to the state of Indiana free of debt upon the opening of the state legislature. A good plan will be inaugurated at Geneva, where the work will be carried on through the schools. The students will have the soliciting in charge and will formulate their own plans for doing so.

MAY DEVELOP ROAD.

Huntington, Ind., Dec. 29.—At the suggestion of the late Dr. P. Yingling, a letter calling attention to the possibilities for developing the C., B. & C. railroad was written to Roscoe D. Smith about a year ago by C. B. Williams, secretary of the Huntington Commercial association. Mr. Smith has made a trip of inspection over the road, and is preparing a report for St. Louis capitalists. Dr. Yingling knew Mr. Smith when he was a civil engineer here, and the work done by Mr. Smith after he left Huntington in building and developing electric lines and many other industries.

NEW BANK AT CRAIGVILLE.

Bluffton, Ind., Dec. 29.—The Bank of Craigville is preparing to open for business next Tuesday, January 2. The new bank building has been completed and a safe was installed this week and with David Klopfenstine as president the bank will commence business. Gideon Gerber is the cashier of the bank. The stock is held largely by Craigville business men and farmers in that community.

NAMES HARSH DEPUTY.

Hartford City, Ind., Dec. 29.—Orville A. Pursley, prosecutor-elect for Wells and Blackford counties, has announced the selection of Theodore V. Harsh as his deputy for Wells county. Mr. Pursley succeeds L. F. Sprague and Mr. Harsh succeeds John F. Decker. The men take their offices on next Monday, January first.

BLUFFTON GIRL DIES.

Bluffton, Ind., Dec. 29.—Miss Dorothy May Lynch, 16, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Lynch, passed away Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock at the home of her parents, at 203 East Spring street. She had been sick for a year with tuberculosis.

More Millers Than Smiths and Jones

Kendallville, Ind., Dec. 29.—In some cities and towns the majority of the families are known as the Smiths or the Jones, but not quote so in Kendallville, for another family name takes the lead by a big majority. In this case it's the family of Millers. There are sixty Millers in Kendallville.

NEW HAVEN NEWS.

Mrs. E. E. Morris entertained the Battenburg club at her home Wednesday afternoon.

The funeral services of Louis Certia were held Thursday afternoon at the Methodist Protestant church.

Leonard Collins, of Van Wert, Ohio, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Oral Kitchens and family.

Miss Olive Lenhart entertained at dinner Thursday Misses Devilbiss and Bennett, of Fort Wayne, Misses Maud Caps, Clara Sheridan and Edna Gorrell.

Miss Mary Greenwalt, who has been attending school at Valparaiso, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Emmet Harper and family.

Clifford Bowman has returned to Milwaukee after spending Christmas here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Bowman.

John Harris has returned to Leipsic, Ohio, after visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Harris.

Mrs. R. J. Blackwell and children, Richard and Georganna, are visiting relatives at Macy, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Magner have been visiting relatives at Monroeville.

The Sigma Kappa basket ball team will go to Payne, Ohio, tonight and play the team at that place.

J. Lauden and family of Maples, have moved on the farm west of town, formerly occupied by Joe Stork and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Behrman entertained on Christmas, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Becker and children, Naomi and Wilma, and O. Krause, of Fort Wayne.

NOTICE!

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Hamilton National bank of Fort Wayne, will take place at the office of said bank on Tuesday, January 9th, 1917, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 3 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of electing directors to serve during the ensuing year, and such other business that may be presented at the meeting.

F. H. POOLE, Cashier.
12-9-26t

WANTED — Furnished rooms, light housekeeping rooms and houses for incoming students enrolling in the next class of the Ross College of Chiropractic, starting Jan. 3. Telephone 2288 at once, between 2 and 5 p. m.
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NEW WAR DRAFT RULE IS EFFECTIVE IN U. S.

Sweeping Order Sets Out Liability to Military Service.

Washington, Dec. 29.—Every able bodied male citizen of the United States between the ages of 18 and 45 years is held liable for service in the national guard in war time, without further act of congress by war department regulations for the government of the guard issued under the national defense act. In a circular prepared nearly two months ago, but made public only now the militia bureau directs that where a national guard regiment is called out for war service, a reserve training battalion to fill vacancies at the front shall be organized out of the national guard reserve and by voluntary enlistment.

"If for any reason," the order continues, "there shall not be enough reservists or enough voluntary enlistments to organize or to keep the reserve battalions at prescribed strength, a sufficient number of the unorganized militia shall be drafted by the president to maintain such battalion or other lesser reserve unit at the prescribed strength."

The language follows closely that of the national defense act, in which the unorganized militia is defined as including every able-bodied male citizen within the prescribed age limit or those who have declared their intention of becoming citizens.

A scoop which is also a scale has been invented by a man in Mobile, Ala.

Tongs that grip a door frame have been invented for hanging babies' chairs or swings in doorways.

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Don't Fail to Attend This Sale and Take Advantage of These Low Prices.

UNDERWEAR DEPARTMENT.

Ladies' Black or Colored Lisle Hose at **25c a pr.**
Ladies' Heavy Cotton Hose at **25c a pair.**
Ladies' Silk Hose at **25c, 35c, 50c, 60c, 75c and $1.00 a pair.**
Men's Silk Hose at **25c a pair**; all colors.
Men's Lisle Hose at **15c and 25c a pair.**
Ladies' Heavy Fleeced Underwear at **25c a garment.**
Ladies' Extra Heavy Fleeced Underwear at **50c a garment.**
Ladies' Fleeced Union Suits at **50c, 75c and $1.00 a suit.**
Men's Heavy Fleeced Underwear at **50c a garment.**
Men's Heavy Fleeced Union Suits at **$1.00 and $1.50 a suit.**
All-Wool Underwear, Ladies' or Gents', sold at special prices.
Ladies' Black Mercerized Petticoats at **$1.00 and $1.50 each.**
Ladies' Changeable Silk Petticoats at **$2.89 and $3.89 each.**
Ladies' Black Taffeta Silk Petticoats at **$4.25 each.**
Extra Size Black or Green Silk Petticoats at **$4.75 each.**
Ladies' Striped or Plain Silk Waists at **$1.98, $2.25, $2.89, $3.89, $4.50 and $5.00 each.**
Ladies' or Gents' Bath Robes, nice and warm, at **$2.50, $3.00 and $3.25 each.**
Heavy Fleeced Kimonos at **$1.00, $1.50 and $1.89 each.**
Children's Knit-Hockey Caps at **35c and 59c ea.**
Children's Angora Wool Scarfs and Caps at **69c, 79c, 89c and $1.00 a set.**
Ladies' Angora Wool Scarfs and Caps at **$1.25, $1.69, $1.89 and $1.98 each.**
Ladies' Fancy Knit Slippers, all colors, at **59c a pair.**
Children's lined Kid Gloves and Mittens at **69c a pair.**
Ladies' Washable Cape Kid Gloves at **$1.00 and $1.25 a pair.**
Ladies' Chamoisette Gloves, black and colors, at **50c a pair.**
Cotton Blankets at **$1.00, $1.25, $1.48, $2.25 and $2.39 a pair.**
Wool Blankets at **$4.50, $5.00, $5.50 and $7.00 a pair.**

SPECIAL!---Improved Vacuum Cleaner, Special . $3.95 Each

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Ocean Sleuths Daily Risk Lives on Cruise to Catch Mysterious Bugs and Wigglers of the Sea

They Don't Mind Falling Overboard and Taking Chances With Death—Real Tragedy is Losing Precious Specimens in Unavoidable Accidents.

At Sea, Aboard the United States Steamship Albatross, Dec. 29.—"In case the order comes to abandon ship, your place will be in the cutter on the starboard side, sir. Get whatever belongings you wish to take with you, buckle on a life preserver at the forward hatch and make your way as quickly as possible to your station."

These were the instructions I received from Chief Bos'n Mate Monroe shortly after going aboard the United States fisheries steamship Albatross. Similar instructions were issued to every man on the ship.

The Albatross, under Lieutenant Commander J. J. Hannigan, U. S. N., was steaming south from San Diego, off the coast of Lower California, to solve, if possible, one angle of a mystery of the sea—the tuna fishing problem.

To unravel this oceanic riddle, Uncle Sam has assigned the bureau of fisheries steamer Albatross and a staff of deep sea detectives to the case. Technically, they are known as scientists and they delve into hydrography, thalassography and pelagic work—jawbreaking words which refer to a study of the ocean and what it contains.

This scientific work is under the direction of Naturalist Edward C. Johnston and a corps of assistants. Johnston is the salt water sleuth who last year led an investigation of the halibut in the North Pacific near Alaska, which resulted in the discovery of new banks that have added materially to this year's halibut catch.

"What the bureau of fisheries is trying to do on this voyage," explained Naturalist Johnston, "is to define the boundaries of the tuna grounds. How far south and how far west do the fish go—that is the thing at present unknown."

An adventurous lot are these detective-scientists. They go forth each day in dory or launch to battle with fisheries problems in the open sea. Clad in their hip boots and oilskins and armed with fish lines, dip nets and specimen bottles they get information which turns the wheels of the fishing industry of the Pacific.

The tang of the sea is in their labor; the romance of all outdoors surrounds them. Every experience is an adventure, yet they are unconscious of it all. To them it is just work—barren, prosaic, commonplace work. It differs from most toil, however, because it is painfully exciting, minutely accurate and exceedingly difficult.

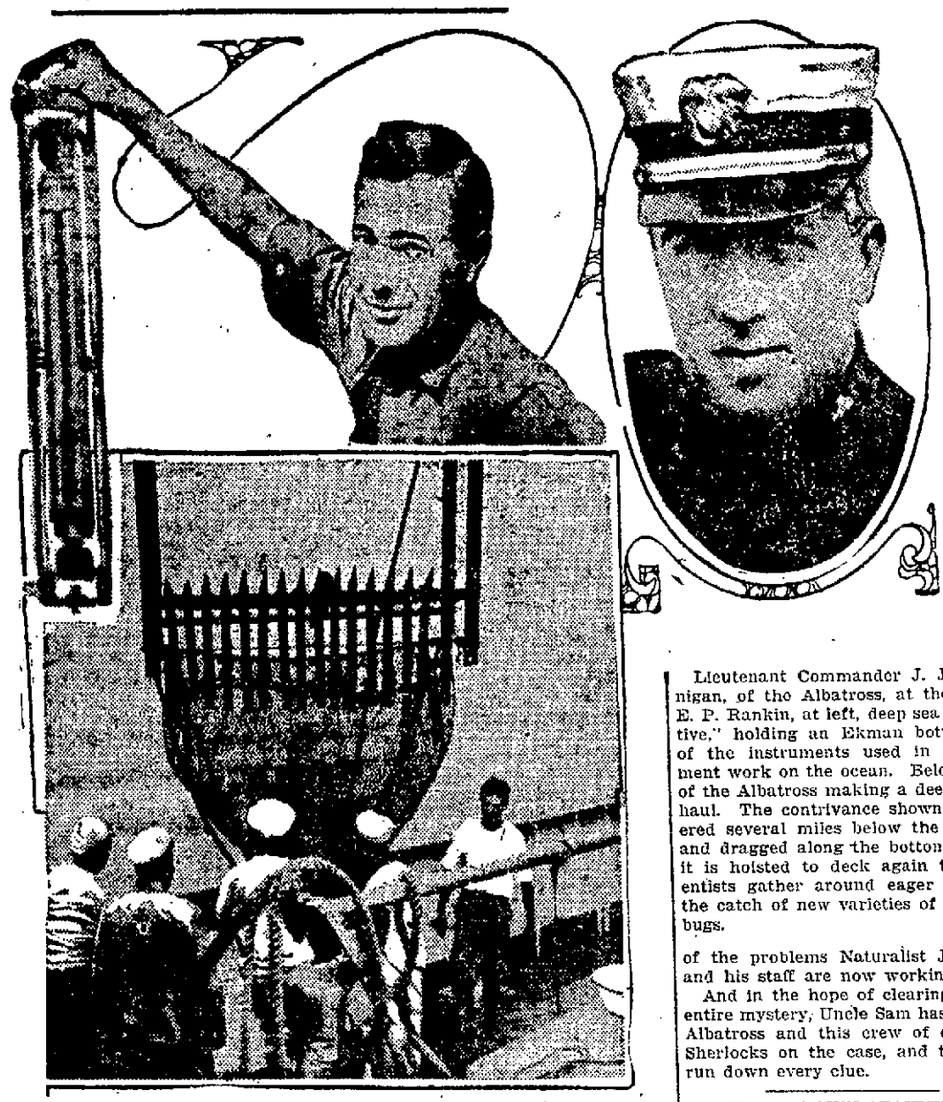
These men have adventures every day without realizing it. While they can readily classify some new deep sea discovery, yet their conception of romance and adventure is rather limited. Ask one if there is risk in his calling, if he doesn't occasionally get swamped in a dory or run the danger of being smashed alongside the ship in an uproarious sea and he, perhaps, pleads guilty, and then is surprised that you consider such occurrences adventurous. To him they are but a part of the day's work.

The great tragedy that these men are forever confronting is not the peril of losing their lives, but the possibility of smashing a specimen bottle which contains some ocean-going bug, or organism, which they have spent sleepless days and nights to get. Such an accident is infinitely more tragic than falling overboard from a dory in rough water.

Canning the "chicken of the sea," as the tuna is called, has given rise to a new fishing industry off the coast of southern California, which bears promise of becoming as extensive as is the salmon fishing of the North Pacific.

But before this enterprise can be developed to its full capacity, more must be learned regarding the tuna. At present their is little definite information available on these fish. With the halibut, they are the mystery fish of the Pacific. As yet the government has been unable to find where the tuna spawn. This is one of the problems Naturalist Johnston and his staff are now working out.

And in the hope of clearing up the entire mystery, Uncle Sam has put the Albatross and this crew of deep sea Sherlocks on the case, and they will run down every clue.



Lieutenant Commander J. J. Hannigan, of the Albatross, at the right. E. P. Rankin, at left, deep sea "detective," holding an Ekman bottle, one of the instruments used in government work on the ocean. Below, men of the Albatross making a deep water haul. The contrivance shown is lowered several miles below the surface and dragged along the bottom. When it is hoisted to deck again the scientists gather around eager to view the catch of new varieties of fish and bugs.

FALLS DOWN STAIRWAY.

Frank Stanley, who states that he resides in Pennsylvania, fainted Thursday evening at the top of the flight of stairs in the Pennsylvania depot and fell to the bottom. He was rushed to the hospital where it was discovered that no bones were broken and that the fainting was due to stomach trouble.

GERMANS PREPARE TO HEM IN ITALY.

The next big move of Germany, it is reported, will be a dash to Italy, in an attempt to hem Italy in and make the country another Rumania.

The arrows in the map show the probable ways the Germans will invade Italy, either along the Brescia line from the Trentino or the Goritz railway in Trieste. The heavy dotted line shows how far the Italians have pierced into Austria-Hungary.

The Most Important Announcement

in Sunday's Journal-Gazette will be

Frank's January Clearance Sale

Opens Tuesday, January 2nd.
Watch and Read Every Bargain.

Frank Dry Goods Company

Uncle Sam Spends $49,000,000 in Futile Effort to Catch Villa

And the Bandit is Still at Large—Part of the Cost Due to Fact That State Militia Was Not Properly Equipped and Seasoned.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 29.—It is estimated today that Uncle Sam has spent more than $49,000,000 trying to catch "Pancho" Villa and the Mexican bandit is still at large. He has just captured the Mexican city of Torreon, according to one report and hasn't captured it according to another.

The war department has not yet issued an official report on the cost of trying to catch the $49,000,000 bandit.

Last year the cost of feeding the regular army was 27 cents a man per day. Food price increases have placed the cost at 30 cents. Uncle Sam has spent about $8,120,996 feeding the 140,259 men for 193 days spent on the border.

The pay bill for officers and men is put at $22,489,089.

The cavalry and field artillery of the state militia were practically horseless when they went to the border. The 6,315 cavalrymen had 1,824 horses, the 2,524 field artillerymen 912 horses. It cost $1,943,890 to buy horses and mules.

From the time Pershing went into Mexico to June 30, 1916, there were bought for the exclusive use of the expedition 588 motor trucks, 57 motor tank trucks, 6 motor machine shop trucks, 75 automobiles, 61 motorcycles and eight tractors for repairing roads. This cost is placed at $2,175,670.

The $49,000,000 estimate does not cover wearing out of tentage and supplies of all kinds, nor cost of maintenance of roads and supply trains.

With Villa at large and the cost to Uncle Sam going on the total figure, when the Villa matter is finally ended, will be all the more astounding.

FIGURES ON COST TRYING TO CATCH VILLA.

Subsistence of national guardsmen in federal service	$ 8,120,996.10
Pay of officers and enlisted men of the national guard in federal service	22,489,089.54
Transportation of regulars and national guard to border	5,756,770.00
Transportation of food to border	290,770.00
Transportation of freight, baggage and impedimenta to border	2,025,000.00
Special motor transportation equipment purchased specially for use on the border and in Mexico	2,175,670.69
Payments by federal government to dependent families of enlisted men	2,000,000.00
Payments by Red Cross and charities to dependent families	100,000.00
Clothing equipment issued to the national guard and worn out	4,121,533.61
Purchase of horses for national guard	1,943,890.00
Total	$49,022,984.91

M'LAUGHLIN RESIGNS.

Deputy Revenue Collector Gives Up Work Because of Ill Health.

Thomas J. McLaughlin, deputy revenue collector for Allen, Noble, DeKalb and Whitley counties, has tendered his resignation which will take effect immediately. Because of ill health he was forced to give up the work. John C. Eelot, special deputy collector, is in charge temporarily. All remittances to the office of the deputy collector are to be made payable to Peter J. Kruyer, internal revenue collector for this district.

Sentinel Want Ads. Pay.

BUDA PEST SEEMS TO HAVE FORGOTTEN WAR

Coronation Festivities in Full Swing in Hungarian Capital.

Buda Pest, Hungary, Thursday, Dec. 28.—(Via London 29)—The coronation festivities are in full swing here under the brightest of winter skies and Buda Pest, for the time being seems to have forgotten the war. A holiday crowd moves through the streets gay with flags and bunting, many of the people in the splendid national garb. The principal thoroughfares are crowded with automobiles, state carriages, mounted and unmounted troops, officers in full dress and nobles in Magyar costumes.

Notwithstanding the rain yesterday an unprecedented crowd witnessed the formal entry of King Charles. Visitors came from all parts of the country. Windows along the route were rented for as much as 5,000 crowns in some instances, while in one case 21,000 crowns were paid. The inauguration diploma was handed to the king last evening by a deputation from both houses of parliament. To-day the king returned the diploma to parliament, with his signature, and parliament administered the oath. New crown guardians were selected by the king. It was an impressive ceremony the members of both houses, in the Hungarian national costume, assembling in joint session. The coronation ceremony will begin at 7 o'clock Saturday morning.

URGES A SURVEY OF COLLEGE ATHLETICS

Association Seeks Light on Moral Influence on Students.

New York, Dec. 29.—A comprehensive investigation of college athletics will be made providing the national collegiate athletic association can gain the aid of the Carnegie foundation, the Sage foundation or the general educational board in a countrywide movement. The association at its convention here yesterday adopted a resolution providing "that the executive committee of the organization request one of these foundations to make a survey of athletics in colleges with particular reference to their moral influence."

It was announced that the executive committee which is made up of the officers of the association and the district representatives will immediately get in touch with the foundations and will try to launch a movement copied after other great educational surveys that these institutions have made.

One of the most interesting discussions at the convention revolved around the "athletic heart;" according to Dr. Roger I. Lee of Harvard university there is no such thing as an athletic heart. Dr. Lee claimed to have proved this during the last year with Harvard oarsmen by means of a new instrument devised to take graphic records. With these instruments he was able to study the cardiac rhythm and natural rhythm and he declared the cardiac irregularities are in no way related to physical exercise but rather to increased numerous sensibility. He said that these irregularities occur frequently in all walks of life and are not limited to athletic persons.

FOUR TAKEN AWAY.

Four prisoners were taken to the state penal farm and the woman's home at Indianapolis, by deputy sheriffs Friday. Gertrude Gustis was the woman who will serve 140 days in the Indianapolis institution. She had been convicted several times on drunk charges. The three men who will labor at the state farm are Floyd Martish, who will serve 140 days for stealing a ring; Joe Bradley, who gets 85 days for stealing silverware from his landlady, and Frank Clark, who will serve ninety days for a compilation of drunk charges.

AMERICA INDULGES IN A LUXURY SPREE

Millions Made During the Past Two Years Are Being Turned Loose.

New York, Dec. 25.—America is intoxicated! Intoxicated with money! We are reeling through the last days of 1916 in an extravagant luxury spree unparalleled in all world history!

"The fact is," says an observer, "your Uncle Sam is actually as lightheaded from over-indulgence in gold as he would be if he'd imbibed too freely of the golden fluid that flows these nights in the champagne chateaux of Broadway!"

While the prosperity fever is nationwide, it has come to a head in New York; the world's money center. And recent whirlwinds in Wall street, the money center of New York, are declared to have revealed in a startling manner the extent of the reckless extravagance sweeping America.

Nothing short of the peace proposals of Germany and the consequent partial collapse in Wall street could have so sharply shown up the golden skeleton of our prosperity. The recent slump was like the caving-in of a small portion of a great palace, revealing an amazing cross-section of wealth, luxury and extravagance within!

In that peace proposal flurry fortunes were lost, two men died beside the tickers in brokers' offices, five times as many shares were traded in the week of the excitement as in the corresponding week of 1915! But the fortunes lost were merely a drop out of a bucket of wealth. The big losses simply served to uncover how the millions made in America in the last two years are being spent, without even slowing down the spending!

Several paper fortunes of over a million were reduced to less than $100,000 in a couple of hours. A young broker who had made $120,000 in war brides was put suddenly $15,000 into the hole!

A leading steel man wrote off $1,900,000 from his profits in United States steel!

A girl telephone operator who had built up $800 into $18,000 and was living a luxurious bachelor life on $200 a week income, lost everything and is now in a sanitarium with nervous prostration.

A curb broker, caught short, tried to sell his $1,400 car for $500 cash!

The significance of these figures is said to be in the fact that the losses have hardly been felt! They simply disclose in startling fashion the amazing scope of America's war-made fortunes, and of Wall street's gambling. The stage is already being set for more speculation sprees on the stock exchange. The money madness grows fiercer, and New York's holiday extravagance booms along greater than ever, to the joy of merchants, hotel keepers, restaurateus and theater managers.

The important feature which economists point out in the situation is that there has grown up in America in the past two years a tremendous number of large fortunes which yet are not quite large enough to make their owners millionaires. These are the people who are now coming to New York from all over the nation with their pockets full of money and are spending it in the current whirl of extravagance. These are the people who are gambling in Wall street.

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CITY TO SUPPLY SERUM.

New York Hopes to Lower Death Rate From Pneumonia.

New York, Dec. 29.—The city health department will in the future supply for th etreatment of lobar pneumonia the serum, perfected by the Rockefeller Institute of Medical Research, Htalth Commissioner Emerson announced today. This step, he said, might prove to be the means of lessening materially deaths from pneumonia in New York city, which amount to 10,000 a year.

PARA POLICE IN REVOLT

Attack Governor's Palace, But Are Finally Subdued

Rio Dejaneiro, Dec. 29.—Dispatches from Belem, capital of the state of Para, say three battalions of police revolted and attacked the palace of the governor Enos Martins, who took refuge in the quarters of the federal regiment. President Brase telegraphed the dommandant of the military region ordering him to despatch forces to the aid of the governor. It was later announced that Gov. Martins had been reinstalled in his palace and that order had been restored.

TAKEN TO INFIRMARY

Christ Hartzog, 64, who came to Fort Wayne from Defiance, Ohio, Thursday afternoon, was removed to the county infirtary, Friday morning. Hartzog has been a county charge before.

The Snowberger Co
912 CALHOUN STREET "Women's Wear" FORT WAYNE INDIANA.

Announce the Opening of Their

JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE

Tomorrow, Saturday, Dec. 30th

Offering all the Fall and Winter Fashions at Greatly Reduced Prices

Coats, Suits, Dresses, Gowns, Skirts, Furs, Petticoats

from which you may choose without restriction and feel confident that no inflated valuation has been resorted to, but every garment reduced from our former low price basis.

This Clearance Sale, while beginning tomorrow, will last until all of this season's merchandise is disposed of, and—

Prices Will Be a Big Feature in Aiding this Clearance Movement.

All our merchandise is new and the latest style, so you have every advantage in selecting from our assortments and where the reductions will give you

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Cicone Orchestra—Dancing—Novelties and Fun-Makers.

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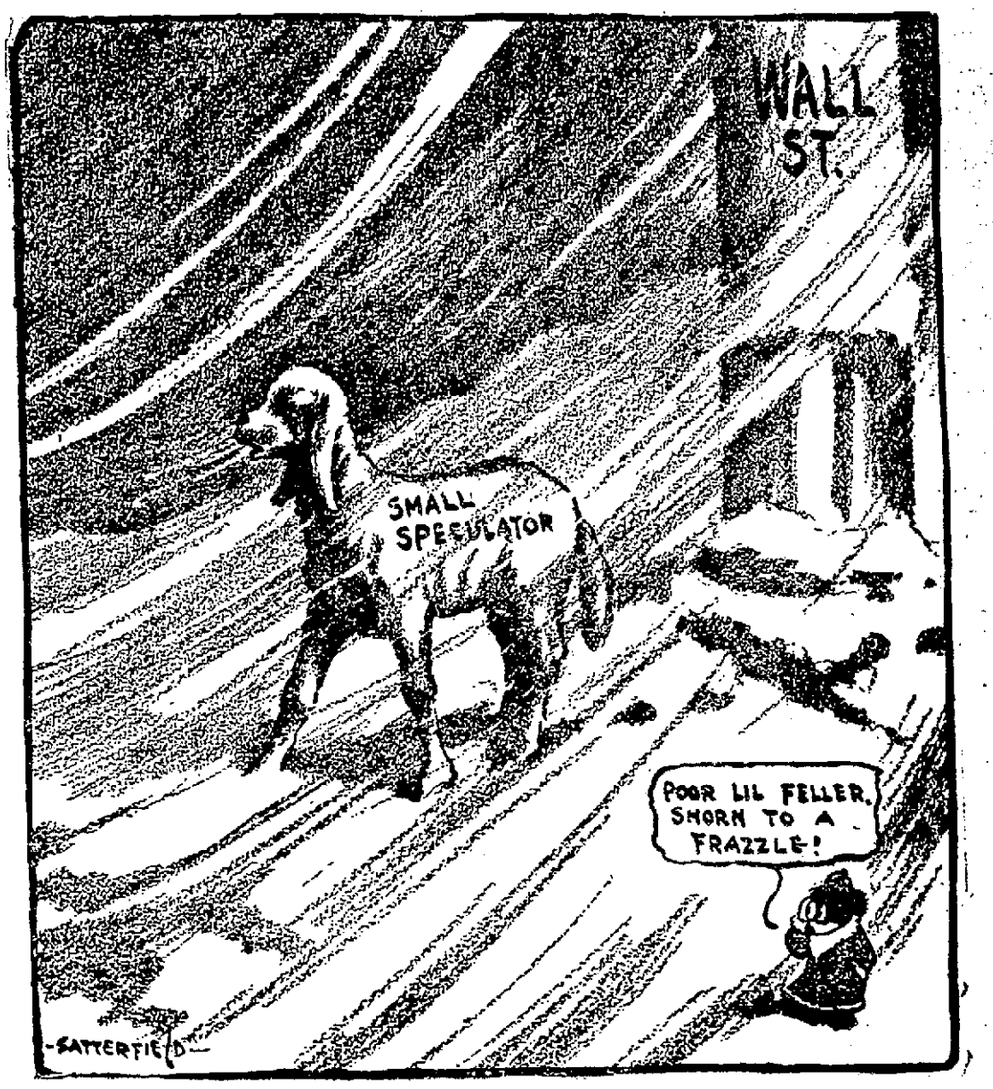

Hitt and Runn—Kelly Asked for His Ten for the Last Time---and Didn't Get It!

BY HITT

AROUND THE CORNER QUICK!! HERE COMES KELLY-
HEY! YOU TWO FOURFLUSHERS HOLD ON THERE—
NOW LISTEN— FOR THE LAST TIME IM ASKING YOU FELLOWS FOR THAT 10 SPOT—
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Electric Works and Pennsy Win Industrial League Opener

Electricians and Railroaders Head the Industrial League

Bowser and Dudlo Quints Get Small End of the League Opening.

The Electrical works and Pennsylvania basketball teams are sharing honors at the top of the Industrial league as a result of last night's big send-off at St. Paul's auditorium, in which the Bowser and Dudlo teams got the count in respective order. The electricians won from the oil-tankers 5 to 11, while the Pennsy gang put a 14 to 9 win over the Dudlo people. All four teams were well backed and the rooters did their share, putting on everything from the "nine times for team" to the snake dance following the game. It was good stuff and there's not a chance of the circuit being anything but a success after that start.

Bowser-Electric Works.

In the first the losing team came mighty near copping by the way of an eleventh hour spurt. Kennedy and Dietrick, two of the best stars in the city, by a series of short passes across the hall were able many times to get the ball right under the Pennsy cage, where the Bowser forwards would have a chance to put over the count. The forwards had a lot of trouble connecting, however, and the "Dynamos" put over the win.

Louie Island's first bit of trouble came in the second half of the first game when both teams were going at full speed and dirty work was ready to crop out at the smallest cause. Louie's work was well taken care of, and although the fans of both sides did a bunch of hooting at decisions, those who were non-partisan (very few) could see that the work was impartial.

Keplinger played a star game at forward for the winners, piling up a lead of 10 to 2 early in the game, from which the Bowserites never did recover. It was after the score was in this lop-sided condition that the losers opened up with their spurt which came close to turning the tables.

The scoring:

Bowsers (11).		Electric Works (16).
Freistroffer	L. F.	Diffendorf
Weberuss	L. F.	Keplinger
Mensing	C.	Vonderhaar
Dietrich	R. G.	R. Miller
Kennedy	L. G.	Blee

Field goals—Freistroffer, 1; Weberuss, 1; Mensing, 1; Dietrich, 1; Diffendorf 1; Keplinger, 4; Blee, 1.

Foul goals—Weberuss, 1; Dietrich, 2; Miller, 4.

Referee—Island.

Dudlo-Pennsylvania.

In this game the winners came out from under in the second period and won by a score of 14 to 9. At the end of the first half the Dudlo crew were leading by a score of 7 to 2. The Pennsy gang got together after the intermission and added a dozen points to their count while the Dudlo gang was piling up one basket.

Doriot was the main factor in the Pennsy spurt, getting 10 of the 14 points himself. He played the floor nicely and was shooting like a house afire. About the middle of the second half things were pretty well tied up, the score hanging at 8 to 8. The Pennsy went on ahead, however, and the Dudlo bunch didn't catch up again.

The scoring in the last game:

Pennsy (14).		Dudlo (9).
Doriot	R. F.	Voss
R. Mills	L. F.	Wyss
Cramer	C.	Herring
Dailey	R. G.	Kierspl
C. Henry	L. G.	Kohrman-Foster

OFFERS $25,000

For Ten Round Bout Between Darcy and Gibbons.

Minneapolis, Minn., Dec. 29.—Harry Sherman, local boxing promoter, Thursday offered a purse of $25,000 for a ten round boxing contest between Mike Gibbons of St. Paul and Les Darcy of Australia, the fight to be staged in either Minneapolis or St. Paul. The winner would receive 75 per cent and the loser 25 per cent. Four of the leading boxing experts of the country would act as judges, and the fighters would abide by their decision in case neither man had a marked advantage.

WANTS BILL CARRIGAN.

New Red Sox Owner Would Have Old Manager Stick.

Boston, Dec. 29.—That Harry H. Frazee, new owner of the Red Sox, is trying to arrange a conference with Bill Carrigan in regard to taking over the management of that team was certain yesterday. Reports have it that Frazee will go to Lewiston, but it is more probable Carrigan will come to Boston. It has been learned that Frazee wired Carrigan asking him here.

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HARVARD DEAN OBJECTS TO COACHES' CUSSING

Mentors Have No More Right to Rough Stuff Than Professors.

New York, Dec. 29.—Dean Le Baron R. Briggs, of Harvard university, warned the National Collegiate association at its meeting yesterday that Harvard resents "to the breaking point" curses by football coaches directed at football players.

Dean Briggs said the Harvard faculty could not well discontinue collegiate football, but said it might cut off supplies and appropriations.

"Why should the football teacher curse his pupils when the teacher of Greek is forbidden?" he wanted to know.

Discussing the "serious side of athletics" and its financial aspect, the speaker said that "with notable exceptions amateur coaches are inconstant, transient, and unable for want of time and tenure to carry out a well considered policy."

In an address on "The Value of Football," Professor Raymond Garfield Gettell of Amherst college said:

"A phenomenon of frequent recurrence in widely separated times and places has been the intense general interest in games or contests manifested by those peoples who held the leading place in the civilization of their day. The Olympic games in Greece, the gladiatorial contests in Rome, and the tournaments of the middle ages alike were characterized by the enthusiastic zeal of those actively engaged, by the presence of crowds of frenzied spectators, and by the interest and attention centered upon them by the public at large. All these athletic carnivals were subjected to severe criticism in their age, yet they increased in popularity in spite of opposition, and declined only with the decadence of the peoples interested or with changes in culture that made them no longer possible.

"As might be expected, football has been subjected to unusually severe criticism. The danger to life and limb, the accompanying evils of gambling, professionalism, or unsportsmanlike methods, the enormous expenditures, the comparatively small number who actually take part in proportion to the numerous spectators, the false standards created in the minds of growing school boys, the overemphasis on athletics in general in colleges and universities—these are some of the direct accusations that the sport has been compelled to face.

"In spite of these criticisms and these defects, however, football has become during the autumn season the pre-eminent sport, especially in American schools and colleges. The football 'star' is a college hero; ambition to make the team is a chief desire in the mind of many a student, and pride over football victories is a powerful stimulant to loyal college spirit. Nor does public interest in the game show signs of decline.

"Football is not a contest between individuals. It is a contest between groups or teams. The union of eleven men under their captain typifies the characteristic human factor of organization. In no other game is the individual, as individual, of so little moment, and the unit, or team, so closely integrated. Football, then, demands co-operation, the subordination of the individual interest to the welfare of the larger unit. It reproduces on a small scale that process of organized social effort by which man first attained supremacy over the world of nature.

Game Builds Up Ideal.

"Football, while retaining the virtues of physical combat, remedies its worst evils by emphasizing organization, co-operation, and obedience. These necessitate self-sacrifice, subordination, mutual aid, and fair play. They discipline the individual, teach self-control, and inculcate principles of honor and loyalty. Especially do they build up an ideal."

Annette Kellermann Art Calendar Free.

The demand for the CHICAGO SUNDAY HERALD next Sunday will be greater than ever before because along with the regular big edition there will be given free of charge a beautiful 1917 art calendar showing a reproduced photograph in six colors of Annette Kellermann as she appears in William Fox's million dollar picture, "A Daughter of the Gods." This photograph shows Miss Kellermann, who has been declared the most perfectly formed woman in the world, from the top of her head to the tip of her toes, garbed in a gorgeous bathing suit before an elaborately decorated background of startling colorings. This calendar is free. Make sure of obtaining one by ordering your copy of next Sunday's CHICAGO HERALD from your newsdealer today.

ON OR OFF FIELD, PLAYERS SHOW SAME CHARACTERISTICS

IF THEY'RE TIGHT AT THE BAT, THEY ARE CAREFUL OF THEIR MONEY.

BY PAUL PURMAN.

There are types of ball players who reflect their everyday habits of living in their style of batting; their way of living is mirrored by their conduct on the field.

If in private life they are saving and careful with their money they are not apt to be extravagant on the ball field and the pitcher who has one of them facing him knows he will have to give them something good for they will not waste their swings.

On the other hand if they are extravagant off the field pitchers have learned that many of them carry this trait to the diamond and are liable to swing at almost anything.

Miller Huggins, Willie Keeler, Johnny Evers, Kid Elberfeld and Tommy Leach were the hoodoos of pitchers.

They would stand at the plate and wait for what they wanted. They didn't step outside to hit at wide ones nor edge back to take a chance on the high ones inside.

They didn't waste anything, those wise boys, and they don't waste anything in private life.

Miller Huggins is noted for his thrift. He has invested in real estate and when he retires from baseball will have to do nothing except collect rent.

Willie Keeler is living off the income from his apartment houses in Baltimore, which he built from money saved while he was playing baseball.

Johnny Evers, the most unfortunate of them all, is rebuilding a fortune lost in ill-advised business deals.

Kid Elberfeld owns a great farm near Chattanooga, which yields him a big income, and Tommy Leach has big investments in Florida land.

There's Heine Zimmerman, who would be one of the game's best hitters if he would conserve his swings and "wait 'em out" now and then. Zim is as free with his money off the field as with his swings when he's "up there."

Zim's money goes for high-priced neckties, which he wears once or twice, for anything he takes a fancy to, whether he needs it or not, and his pay check is usually gone before he gets it.

Almeida, the Cuban star, is another of the same type.

He buys $12 shirts one day and gives them away the next. He throws his money right and left and on the ball field he is handicapped by like, extravagance when he's facing a pitcher.

IF THEY SWING AT ANYTHING, THEY'RE EXTRAVAGANT OFF THE FIELD.

BOWLING.

CITY ASSOCIATION.

LYRIC BUFFET.

Players.	1st.	2d.	3d.
Ehle	198	185	169
Beckes	120	190	167
Kelley	201	191	185
E. Harkey	192	164	194
Doehrman	213	218	207
Totals	924	948	910

BERRY BUFFET.

Players.	1st.	2d.	3d.
Grimes	176	216	181
S. Miller	177	122	163
Zurcher	170	150	202
Bender	176	181	183
H. Miller	202	162	207
Totals	901	831	937

TROY DRY CLEANING CO.

Players.	1st.	2d.	3d.
Henschen	187	204	113
Smith	181	187	180
Feistkorn	151	178	178
Einseldel	177	169	201
Bittler	149	176	190
Totals	845	913	892

FRIARS.

Players.	1st.	2d.	3d.
C. Tucker	166	178	217
Nussbaum	214	175	188
Leach	176	193	149
Centlivre	207	213	153
Vesey	151	170	182
Totals	914	929	894

AT STAR ALLEYS.

FREIGHT HOUSE.

Players.	1st.	2d.	3d.
Valmer	194	175	159
Kocks	108	146	133
Marks	152	158	179
Myers	133	164	145
Rager	147	156	158
Totals	734	809	774

EAST CAR SHOPS.

Players.	1st.	2d.	3d.
A. Zurbuck	210	125	166
H. Martin	135	144	150
L. E. Rombke	124	101	123
G. C. Curral	155	144	157
T. J. Thompson	148	166	171
Totals	772	680	767

CHICAGO MAN IS NEW ADVISER FOR DARCY

Has Been in Correspondence With Australian for More Than a Year.

Chicago, Dec. 29.—Les Darcy continued to hold the sporting spotlight, his name figuring in one of the best all-around sensations sprung since he left Australia. Darcy's claims to a championship may be clouded in some particulars, but that he is champion of the world at the publicity game there is no doubt at all.

Leonard Hicks, landlord at the Grant hotel and bosom friend of Tom Jones and Jess Willard, came back to Chicago from New York yesterday and notified the newspaper men that Hicks hereafter will be in complete charge of Darcy's pugilistic and theatrical affairs in the capacity of confidential adviser. He has no signed contract, he says, but declares he can produce correspondence with [illegible] covering a period of more than a year which will establish his claim to prior rights on Darcy's services.

Ever since Darcy first made up his mind to come to America there has been a scramble on the part of fight managers to land the plum. Jack Kearns announced he was Darcy's manager and had a contract. Tom Jones announced he had bought part of Kearns' contract. Tex Rickard announced that he would manage Darcy. When Darcy himself arrived it developed that he had signed no contracts at all and did not intend to sign any.

"More than a year ago I conceived the idea of bringing Darcy to America," said Hicks last night. "When Les knocked McGeorty out twice I decided he must be a wonder and opened negotiations with him to come over.

"In these negotiations I had the assistance of one of the most prominent men in Chicago, whose name I am not at liberty to mention now. He had influencial friends in Australia, and between us it was arranged for Darcy to come to America.

"The war placed many obstacles in our way. And at one time Darcy's price seemed out of reach, for he insisted that a large sum be placed in a bank in Australia before he would undertake the journey. Finally I agreed to place a stipulated amount in any American bank that Darcy might designate two weeks before any fight in which he might participate, and he agreed to make the trip.

"Tex Rickard happened to be the man who met him upon his arrival in New York, because my train was two hours late. But I have been with him practically continually ever since last Saturday and we understand each other perfectly. Darcy will sign no contracts with a manager. I will act as his adviser, and I will say right now that I am in a position to bid more than Tex Rickard can bid for a Darcy fight."

Hicks said he was trying to arrange for a week's theatrical work for Darcy at a local vaudeville house, which, he thinks, will serve to introduce the newcomer to the Chicago newspaper men. After that, some time, Darcy may make up his mind to fight. Just at present, however, it looks like a season of theatrical work and press agentry, with million dollar offers and no action.

WELSH AND KILBANE

Will Stage a Little Dance for Twenty-five Thousand Dollars.

New York, Dec. 29.—Matt Hinkel, Cleveland boxing promoter, yesterday announced he had made a flat offer of $25,000 for a bout between Lightweight Champion Freddie Welsh and Featherweight Champion Johnny Kilbane to take place May 30 at Cedar Point, O., where the Kilbane-Cheney fight was held.

Pollok has been trying to frame such a match for New York, but things are so uncertain in a pugilistic way here that it now appears almost hopeless. Les Darcy's arrival also has overshadowed the probability of a headline bout without the Australian's participation.

Hinkel is making no restrictions on the purse he has offered for the bout between the two champions. It will be split according to their own ideas.

PENN GRID STAR

Out of New Year's Game With Sprained Ankle.

Pasadena, Cal., Dec. 29.—Clem Urquhart, left end of the University of Pennsylvania's football eleven, will not be in the New Year's game with the University of Oregon at Tournament park here. Urquhart has a sprained ankle and will be replaced by Albert Crane of Seattle. The Tournament of Roses association promoters of the game, announced Thursday the placing of rain insurance with Lloyds agency. In event of rain, a quarter of an inch, at Pasadena between Sunday, 9 a. m., and Monday, 3 p. m., Lloyds is to pay $23,000.

Sentinel Wants Ads. Bring Results.

NEWS FROM HERE AND THERE IN SPORTDOM

Chicago, Dec. 29.—William "Kid" Gleason, the veteran baseball player, probably will be retained as coach of the Chicago American league club next season, although official announcement has not been made.

Clarence Rowland, manager of the team, considers Gleason a valuable aid in developing young players. Gleason's temperament, Rowland says, makes him thoroughly fitted for the task.

Bloomington, Ind., Dec. 29.—E. O. Stiehm, athletic director of Indiana university, has been empowered to make up the 1917 football schedule without further consultation with the athletic committee.

Coach Stiehm said that except for the Ohio and Purdue games, nothing definite has been settled as to the schedule. There is a possibility, he said, of opening the season here with Wabash. Ohio State will be played at Indianapolis on November 3. It is probable that the Minnesota game will be played at Minneapolis.

Columbus, O., Dec. 29.—Seven football games complete the schedule for Ohio State university next season. The 1916 champions of the western conference will meet four "Big Nine" elevens—Northwestern, Indiana, Wisconsin and Illinois.

Oberlin, Ohio's traditional foe, has been temporarily dropped, and a game has been scheduled with Denison university instead. Denison was tied for first honors in the Ohio conference last season and has prospects of a strong team next fall. Efforts were made by Ohio State authorities to arrange a game with Cornell, but the Ithacans declined to come to Columbus.

The 1917 season will open one week earlier than last year. Case will play the opener here on September 29, followed by Ohio Wesleyan one week later. Northwestern, which played Ohio for the conference championship last fall, will come to Columbus October 13 for the first contest of the "Big Nine" season.

Illinois will be the attraction for the big homecoming game November 17. The schedule follows:

Sept. 29—Case university at Columbus.
Oct. 6—Ohio Wesleyan at Columbus.
Oct. 13—Northwestern university at Columbus.
Oct. 27—Denison university at Columbus.
Nov. 3—Indiana university at Indianapolis.
Nov. 10—University of Wisconsin at Madison.
Nov. 17—University of Illinois at Columbus.

Bloomington, Ind., Dec. 29.—A concrete stadium, with a seating capacity of more than 10,000 and costing in the neighborhood of $50,000 is to be erected at Indiana university.

E. O. Stiehm, athletic director; George M. Cook, of Indianapolis; Harry M. Scholler, of Crawfordsville; Frank L. Jones, of Indianapolis and Ralph V. Stollitt, alumni secretary, have been appointed to carry out the stadium plan. They propose to visit other universities in the west in search of ideas.

Chicago, Dec. 29.—Joseph B. Tinker, purchaser of the Columbus club of the American association considers third base the easiest position in the infield.

"That's why I am going to play third for Columbus next season—because I think it will be a soft spot," the former manager of the Chicago Nationals said.

Tinker thinks he's a bit too slow to play short, his old-time position, as it should be played.

Notre Dame, Ind., Dec. 29.—Jesse Harper, athletic director at the University of Notre Dame, is busy arranging the 1917 baseball and football schedule. The baseball schedule, which provides for a number of games with western conference teams, is nearly completed, but the football dates have not been arranged.

Nebraska, however, will play Notre Dame again next year. Wabash and Alma, from present indications, probably will not be on the schedule. Kalamazoo college may get a game. Nothing definite has been announced about games with Minnesota or other conference teams, although local sentiment favors one or more games with members of the "Big Nine."

Georgetown, Fordham, Boston college and Dartmouth are seeking games with Notre Dame and are anxious to play either in Indianapolis or Chicago. Arrangements for the annual intersectional contest with the Army eleven have not been completed.

Chicago, Dec. 29.—Jacques Fournier, first baseman with the Chicago Americans, wants to return to the outfield. He has informed Manager Rowland that he will try for the right field berth next season. John Collins, Eddie Murphy and Nemo Leibold are other contenders for the position.

Junior Order of Moose lodge will hold nomination of officers, Friday, Dec. 29, 1916. All brothers are requested to be present. R. McCreary, sec'y. 28-2t

PYRAMIDS GRAB TIGHT CONTEST FROM EXENDAS

St. Patrick Team Opens Season With a Win in Last Half.

All dolled up in new uniforms and sweaters the Pyramids of St. Patrick's Lyceum took the field against the Exendas last night in the opening game of the former's schedule. The Lyceumites made a fine appearance on the floor and backed up their "looks" by copping the game from the visitors when there were very few minutes of playing time left. The score was 24 to 20.

The Exendas grabbed the lead soon after the start and retained it throughout the first half, keeping about four points in the lead. In the second period the Pyramids started to find the baskets and honors switched back and forth between the two teams. Doriot and Earl Stall starred for the Pyramids, while Sauerwine and Harrold played good games for the visitors.

The Pyramids have a good schedule but have several dates which they would like to fill with teams in the city. A call at the Lyceum by managers will locate the Pyramid bosses.

The line-up and scoring:

Exendas.		Pyramids.
Stocks	R. F.	Logan-Loney
Sauerwine	L. F.	Doriot
Harrold	C.	E. Stall
Fruechte	R. G.	K. Stall
Gidley	L. G.	Rauner

Field goals—Sauerwine, 6; Harrold, 2; Gidley, 1; Stocks, 1; E. Stall, 5; Doriot, 1; Logan, 2; Loney, 1.

Foul goals—Harrold, 2.

Referee—Purman.

In the preliminary the Celts defeated the Rexalls in a game which went five minutes overtime, the final score being 16 to 18. Boulard starred for the losers with the most baskets in the game. N. Zurbuch did the heavy work for the winners.

TEN MINUTE TALKS.

At a meeting of the One Hundred Per Cent. club at the Commercial club Wednesday night, January 3, talks of ten minutes each will be made by nine or ten of the members. The short talks will be on various phases of a talk which E. W. Puckett will give.

CARDINALS WILL OPEN WITH HARLAN TONIGHT

The Cardinals will open their schedule tonight at the St. Mary's hall, having as their assistant attractions the city team of Harlan. Harlan has been playing for some time this season and has a good record. The Cardinals have practically the same team they had last year and expect to show up with some good team work. A preliminary will start at 7:45 o'clock.

BELGIAN MARES

Are Purchased at Crouch Farm by William Bleke, of Huntertown.

William Bleke, of Huntertown, has purchased three of the best Belgian mares in the United States of J. Crouch & Son, of Lafayette. The mares weigh more than a ton each and are of the finest breeding attainable. The Fort Wayne district is one of the best in the country in the breeding of Belgian horses. It was known that Mr. Bleke was to make a purchase but so large a one came as a surprise.

C. M. McConnell, president of the Indiana stallion enrollment board, will be present at a meeting of Belgian horse breeders to be held Saturday afternoon at one o'clock in the office of A. J. Hutchins, county agent.

DO YOUR CHRISTMAS SWAPPING EARLY!

SHOP AND RAILROAD NEWS

ALEXANDER BROWN RUN DOWN ON CROSSING

G. R. & I. Engine Was Backing Up to Get Train When It Struck Him

Alexander Brown, fifty years old, of Grand Rapids, Mich., was instantly killed at 5 o'clock last night when he was run down by a G. R. & I. engine which was backing up to the station from the round house to get southbound passenger train No. 6. The accident occurred at Wealthy street and was due, it is said, to the victim failing to observe th esafety-first rules of the company. Engineer F. E. Nicolai, of 1916 Clinton street, Fort Wayne, was at the throttle of the engine and did not know a man had been run over until told of it after the accident. The victim was not an employe of the company.

GETTING THEIR ANNUALS.

Over 6,500 Passes Being Distributed by Pennsy.

E. F. Stephan, chief clerk of the Pennsylvania superintendent's office, has the 6,500 annual passes for 1917 assigned employes of the division and commenced distributing them this morning. The work of preparing these passes was tremendous, it being necessary to write the name, occupation and residence of every person to whom transportation is given on the little cards designed for that purpose. The Pennsylvania is liberal in the distribution of passes to its employes. Those who have not worked long enough to entitle them to annual passes can secure trip passes for themselves and members of their families who are dependent upon them for support. Transportation of this character is quite an item also.

WATER CONDITIONS BETTER

Nickel Plate Engines Getting Supply at Leipsic

The Leipsic water system, which was put out of commission last week by a fire, has been repaired and Nickel Plate engines are again taking water there. While the water system at this point was out of commission, it was not an uncommon thing for an engine to be cut loose from its train and make a run to another water station for a supply. The recent rains also relieved the stringency somewhat elsewhere, but there is still a shortage at some places. A controversy between employes of the Bellevue water works station and the city council and officials has resulted in a threatened strike of the former, which will tie up the supply in a week or two and make the situation worse than at present.

CONNEAUT STRIKE SETTLED.

A strike of shopmen employed by the Nickel Plate at Conneaut has been settled, the men being granted a small increase in wages, it was announced in bulletins which were posted yesterday. The strike was called a couple of weeks ago and, after officials had worked in the shops for several days, strike breakers from Chicago were imported and placed in the positions left vacant by the men. These strikebreakers will remain in Conneaut for several days or until it is determined that the men intend returning to their work, it was announced. A strike of trackmen, called at the some time, and which led to the fatal shooting of one of the strikers, was settled several days ago when a small wage increase was granted.

RAILROAD WORKERS.

The American Federation of Railroad Workers conferred a distinctive honor on the treasurer of the union, Wednesday night when they re-elected him for the seventh time, the first time being when the lodge was organized. The new roster is as follows: President, H. A. Koenig; vice president, H. A. Seele; financial secretary, W. E. Shea; recording secretary, W. Melker; treasurer, F. Bultermeir. The next meeting will be held January 24.

DEATH STILL A MYSTERY

The investigation into the death of Miss Dimmie Beamer, the telephone operator at Nevada, Ohio, who was found dead on the Pennsylvania tracks at that place Wednesday night, failed to bring to light the engine or train which struck her. Every engine that passed that point prior to the finding of the body was examined, and none bore evidence of having struck the young lady. Miss Beamer was nineteen years old.

COOKS AND WAITERS.

The Cooks and Waiters will install the following officers to serve during 1917, on Wednesday evening, January 3: President, Oscar Riley; vice president, Thomas Hart; financial secretary and business agent, Charles B. McCoy; recording secretary, L. J. Davis; chaplain, Robert Hutchins; inspectors, Elizabeth Tilbury and Anna Weise; inner guard, Harry Roebuck; press agent, Phil Lotz; treasurer, H. S. Roebuck.

MASTER MECHANIC HAYS SICK.

News from Grand Rapids concerning Master Mechanic J. F. Hayes, of the G. R. & I. shops, is not very encouraging. He has been sick and unable to work for six weeks and his condition is worse this week than at any previous time since his illness began. Mr. Hayes is suffering from kidney trouble. He once lived here and is well known on the G. R. & I. road.

LEFT FOOT BADLY HURT

Abraham Hoschstedler, employed in the boiler room at the General Electric works, sustained painful injuries to his left foot this morning, when a piece of sheet metal fell upon the member. He was attended by Dr. F. J. Schulz at the factory hospital and then sent to the St. Joseph hospital. Mr. Hochstedler was assisting in handling material during inventory work, the shop being closed for that purpose.

RETURN FROM SPECIAL TRIP.

H. U. Diem, general car shop foreman; L. S. Trachsel, foreman of the cost department, and John Klingenberger, foreman of passenger repair shop, of the Pennsylvania, have returned from Altoona, where they went over a week ago on a special mission for the company. Each resumed his respective duties this morning.

MR. MUIR IS RECOVERING.

After an illness of two weeks, a part of which was very severe, J. J. Muir, mechanical superintendent of the Bass Foundry and Machine company, is up and yesterday walked outdoors for the first time at his office to resume active duties at his office next week. Mr. Muir had the grip.

HAD A TOE CRUSHED.

Boilermaker F. W. Morris, of the Pennsylvania shops, will be off duty a few days or longer as the result of a cab casting of a locomotive falling upon his left foot. One of the toes was badly crushed.

INDUSTRIAL NOTES.

L. M. Totman took a position in the Pennsylvania storeroom this morning.

C. Christ is a new laborer at the Pennsylvania blacksmith shop.

Frank Schramm, janitor at the Pennsylvania round house office, is sick and off duty.

The Linemen have completed arrangements for a dance at Tanner's hall Tuesday, January 23.

Machinist E. C. Hake, who was sick several days, resumed work at the Pennsylvania shops this morning.

Commercial Agent A. L. Gilbert, of the Wabash, left for Detroit this morning on business for the company.

Frank I. Brown, purchasing agent of the Pennsylvania, is in Pittsburg on business for the company.

E. G. Epple, Pennsylvania boilermaker, will be the guest of his brother in Lafayette over New Year's day.

W. Borcherding, a rivet heater at the Pennsylvania boiler shop, is sick and off duty.

C. Laubscher, machinist in the Pennsylvania toolroom, will go to Detroit tomorrow to spend two weeks with friends.

F. J. Guillot, crane operator at the Pennsylvania erecting shop, is off duty on account of the death of a relative.

John Shuler, the doormaker at the Pennsylvania planing mills, was kept from his duties today by an attack of the grip.

E. C. Young resigned a position at the Pennsylvania machine shop this morning to return to the farm near Roanoke.

Yard Engineer L. P. Galland, who had been sick several days, reported for work on the Pennsylvania this morning.

John Phillips, an operator at Wauseon, O., is spending holiday week with his brother, Agent A. P. Phillips, of the N. Y. C.

H. Wheatley, of the Hocking Valley road, inspected 400 car wheels at the Bass foundry today for the company he represents.

Clyde W. Yeakey, engineer, and F. W. Anglin, fireman on the G. R. & I. road, are taking a lay off to look after some private business.

The Moving Picture Operators and the Cement Workers have arranged to meet in the hall at the southwest corner of Calhoun and Lewis streets hereafter.

B. G. Denning, of the final meter inspection department at the Fort Wayne plant of the General Electric works, is in Geneva visiting for a few days.

Incoming trains on all roads were late in reaching the city today, due to heavy travel and cold weather. No accidents to trains were reported by any of the lines.

H. T. Hogan, material inspector for the Pennsylvania, has returned from a holiday visit with his daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Gustav Steglitz, of Bedford, Ind.

Herman Regel, an erecting engineer for the Bass Foundry and Machine works, is repairing the engine in the plant of Chris Diehl Brewing company at Defiance, Ohio, this week.

George W. Ellenwood, baggageman at the New York Central depot, is off duty on account of illness. Assistant Baggageman Ed Dolliham has taken charge in Mr. Ellenwood's absence.

Paul Adams returned to Buffalo yesterday to resume his duties as chief clerk to Supt. E. J. Parish, of the Nickel Plate. The young man had been visiting relatives in the city.

V. E. Watkins, assistant file clerk at the Pennsylvania motive power office, has arranged to spend the New Year's holiday with his folks at Lima, his former home.

H. A. Burson, airbrake instructor of the Pennsylvania Northwest system, is at Alliance, O., looking after some business connected with the department.

Theodore Titus, sr., retired Pennsylvania passenger engineer, and Mrs. Titus contemplate spending the latter part of the winter in Florida. They will leave for that state about the middle of January.

Blacksmith H. A. Lowmatscht, of the Pennsylvania shops, is off duty as the result of a fall on the ice. H. H. Boegel, of the same shop, is off duty on account of the death of a relative.

Passenger Engineer G. T. Burchard, of the Pennsylvania, is off duty on account of sickness. Passenger Fireman W. T. McCormick and Freight Fireman D. H. Metcalf are also sick and off duty.

W. Lucas and M. Cole resigned positions at the Pennsylvania erecting shop this morning, stating that they were going to take employment at the General Electric works. They are colored men.

P. N. Butzen, district passenger agent of the Chicago and Great Western, with headquarters in Chicago, was in Fort Wayne yesterday calling upon the various officials and stations of the steam roads.

There will be a meeting of the executive boards of all crafts affiliated with the Fort Wayne Building Trades council tonight at 7:30 o'clock in Carpenters' hall to consider matters of local importance.

Victor Fitch, formerly a clerk in the trainmaster's office of the Pennsylvania, visited the various departments yesterday and greeted old friends. He is home from Purdue university to spend the holidays.

Painters and decorators, who were at work in the waiting room, concourse and elsewhere in the Pennsylvania passenger station, have transferred operations to the ceilings and walls in Agent J. E. Ross' office and will complete work there this week.

Vice President C. T. Strawbridge, of the Bass Foundry and Machine company, returned from a business trip to St. Louis last night. R. J. Fisher, who accompanied Mr. Strawbridge, went from St. Louis to Grand Rapids and will not return home until tomorrow.

Machinist William Mason, of the Pennsylvania toolroom, and his family will entertain Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Pillins, of South Dakota, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pullins, of Kouts, Ind., for several days, the visitors being expected this evening. Mesdames Pullins are the sisters of Mr. Mason.

Passenger Conductor B. F. Stonecifer, of the L. E. & W. of trains 37 and 40, will take a New Year's day vacation, his trains being in charge of Conductor M. H. Dochterman, who has just completed a Christmas vacation. Conductor Dochterman will resume charge of trains 38 and 39 when Conductor Stonecifer returns.

"Say, don't you want to publish a truthful item today?" said Machinist John O. Bryant, of the Pennsylvania shops, this morning. "A city paper said I was going to Chicago to spend the New Year holiday," he continued. "I don't know where they got the information, but it is not correct and I would be pleased to have you say that John O. Bryant will spend New Year's day with his family at our home west of the city."

IS PIG TO TAKE TIME-HONORED PLACE OF THE LAPDOG?

MRS. FABYAN, SOCIETY LEADER, WITH ONE OF HER PRIZE PIGS; EDNA MAYO AND HER LAP DOG.

Will society abandon the lap dog? Will it turn poor "Tootsum Tinkums" out in the cold, cold world?

Well, anyway, Mrs. Nellie Fabyan, leader of smart society in Chicago and Newport, has a new pet and it's not a dog.

Her hobby is pigs.

She has a herd of them at her country home, "Riverbank Villa," in suburban Chicago.

The ferocious looking beast in the picture is her pet and the winner of many prizes at stock shows.

DO YOU THINK BERLIN WILL STAND FOR THIS?

London Spectator Assumes to Give Peace Terms of the Allies.

London, Dec. 29.—The Spectator devotes the greater part of tomorrow's issue to answering President Wilson's question as to what are the peace terms of the entente allies. Briefly summarized the principal demands as outlined by the Spectator are:

"The peace terms are to start from the status quo before the war, thus including the evacuation of the whole of northern France, Belgium and Luxemberg, and of all lands taken from Serbia, Rumania, Russia and Montegro.

"Alsace-Lorraine is to be restored to France. The Danish portion of Schleswig-Holstein is to go to Denmark, and Posen, Polish Prussia and Austrian Poland are to be added to the new sub-kingdom of Poland, which the czar has pledged to create.

"The Slavs of Bosnia, Herzegovina, Dalmatia, Croatia, etc., are to be created into a new kingdom.

"Bohemia to be an independent state.

"The Rumanka section of Transylvania to be added to Rumania.

"The whole Austrian Tyrol, plus Triest, Istria and other portions of Austria, which are Italian in blood or feeling, to be added to Italy.

"Turkey to yield Constantinople and the straits to Russia.

Armenians to be put under Russian tutelage.

"The Arabs to be freed, while Syria, Asia Minor and Mesopotamia are to be under external protection guaranteeing tranquility.

"The German colonies to remain in the hands of the entente. Moreover a money indemnity for the ruin Germany has done to Belgium, France, Serbia, Montenegro, etc.

"As regarding shipping Germany to make reparation in kind for all ships of commerce destroyed ton for ton, neutral shipping to be replaced only after all the demands of the allies has been satisfied.

"The Germany navy to be handed over and distributed among entente nations.

"As a guarantee against future war the allies are to insist upon the democratization of the German government.

"The Kiel canal to be neutralized under an international non-German commission including the entente countries, the United States and other neutrals."

THE WEATHER.

LOCAL OFFICE UNITED STATES WEATHER BUREAU.

Fort Wayne, Ind., Dec. 29, 1916.

Local data for the 24 hours ending at noon today.

Temperature at the End of Each Hour.

2:00 P.M.	28	2:00 A.M.	17
3:00 P.M.	28	3:00 A.M.	16
4:00 P.M.	27	4:00 A.M.	16
5:00 P.M.	26	5:00 A.M.	15
6:00 P.M.	26	6:00 A.M.	15
7:00 P.M.	26	7:00 A.M.	15
8:00 P.M.	24	8:00 A.M.	15
9:00 P.M.	23	9:00 A.M.	15
10:00 P.M.	21	10:00 A.M.	16
11:00 P.M.	19	11:00 A.M.	16
12:00 Midnight	18	12:00 Noon	17
1:00 A.M.	18	1:00 P.M.	18
		2:00 P.M.	18

Highest temperature yesterday, 29 degrees.

Lowest this morning, 13 degrees.

Highest since the first of the month, 61 on the 4th.

Lowest since the first of the month, -3 on the 15th.

Precipitation for the 24 hours ending at noon today, none.

Precipitation since the first of the month, 2.81 inches.

Maumee river stage at 7:00 a. m. today, 8.0 feet.

Relative Humidity—

7:00 p. m. yesterday, 45 per cent.

7:00 a. m. today, 70 per cent.

Noon today, 51 per cent.

Barometer, Reduced to Sea-Level—

7:00 p. m. yesterday, 30.42 inches.

7:00 a. m. today, 30.52 inches.

Highest wind velocity, 20 miles per hour from the west at 1:07 p. m.

Sun sets today 4:21 p. m. Rises tomorrow 7:06 a. m.

OFFICIAL FORECASTS

For Fort Wayne and vicinity (radius 20 miles): Fair, slightly colder tonight; Saturday fair, continued cold.

For Indiana: Fair, slightly colder tonight; Saturday fair, continued cold.

For Ohio: Fair, somewhat colder tonight; Saturday fair.

For Lower Michigan: Generally fair tonight and Saturday, little change in temperature.

Shippers' Forecast (radius 300 miles): Protect shipments during the next 24 to 36 hours from temperatures as follows: North, -10 to 0 degrees; east, 0 to 5 degrees; south, 0 to 25 degrees; west, -10 to 0 degrees.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.

There is no well defined disturbance within the limits of the United States this morning, but an extensive area of high pressure is crested over Iowa. During the last 24 hours precipitation occurred in the eastern portion of the lake region, in the middle, south Atlantic and Gulf states, in the Plateau region and in California. Moderately high temperatures prevail along the south Atlantic and Gulf coasts, but in the other sections of the country temperatures are below the seasonal average, the weather being unusually cold in northern and northwestern districts, with the lowest temperatures 40 degrees below zero at White River, Ont., and 32 degrees below zero at Havre, Mont.

F. M'DONOUGH,
Local Forecaster.

WILL BRAVE JAIL FOR BIRTH CONTROL

Chicago Women Decide to Give Out Information and Test the Law.

Chicago, Dec. 29.—There are Chicago women who are ready to go to jail for the cause of birth control. A plan of disseminating information regarding birth control is to be put into operation in Chicago as soon as a decision is reached as to the best means.

Two hundred women and a few men met yesterday at the Chicago Woman's club to discuss the movement. Prof. Herbert L. Willett, of the University of Chicago, made a motion calling for a committee of seven to consider a way to carry on the work and report back to a future conference similar to the one of yesterday.

Practically every one who expressed himself or herself supported the proposal to give out information on the subject. Some, however, favored the distribution of printed matter. Others urged the opening of clinics in which each request for information would be treated as an individual case. The leaders in the movement seemed to favor the clinic plan.

Ready to Be Martyr.

Dr. Anna Blount offered herself "as a sacrifice" to learn how far the women might go without getting into trouble with the law. She said she was ready to give out the information publicly and lend herself to a test case. She already has been giving out the information, she said, but no one ever has seen fit to take the matter to the courts.

Lawyers who were present said they did not believe a conviction could be obtained in Illinois. The literature would have to be classified as obscene, according to Attorney John J. Sonsteby, and a jury would decide. Attorney Sigmund Zeisler advised the women to test out the case.

"I would volunteer myself," he said, "except that I have a wife and family to support, and I cannot afford to go to jail."

She Urges "Self-Control."

The one bit of discord that was thrown into the meeting was the talk of Mrs. Mary Teats. She said that what was needed was self-control and not birth control.

"If what you advise is done," said Mrs. Teats, who is a white haired, grandmotherly woman with spectacles, "it will mean the poisoning of the women, the ruining of their health and the weakening of men, so that in a few generations we shall have a race of sickly weaklings."

THINGS THAT NEVER HAPPEN

By GENE BYRNES

CLARENCE O'TOOLE AND FAMILY JUST RETURNING FROM A PICNIC — THEIR LUNCH CONSISTED OF CANNED SALMON, LEMONADE ICE CREAM CONES, DILL PICKLES AND WATERMELON — AND NOBODY DEVELOPED PTOMAINE POISONING
I'M NOT A BIT SORRY FOR EATING ALL THAT JUNK TO-DAY!
Copyright, 1916
GENE BYRNES

SAYS OUR BLUNDERS HAVE BEEN HIDDEN

School Book Writers Omit Results of Lack of Military Policy

Cincinnati, Dec. 29.—Frederick L. Huidekoper, founder of the army league of the United States, in an address before the American political science association here today charged that "almost without exception historians and writers of American school books have suppressed, with studied care the disasters which we have so often suffered and the blunders we have committed owing to a total absence of a proper military policy."

Mr. Huidkoper who was addressing the conference on naval and military administration in the U. S. held under the auspices of the Science association prefaced his remarks by saying: "The United States never had a military policy or anything approaching one, unless an unlimited capacity for blundering in military matters may be called a policy."

The arguments of the "pussyfists" as he termed the pacifists that compulsory military service is contrary to American ideas, was arraigned by the speakers, as "without a vestige of truth."

"The voluntary system" he continued "is the most plutocratic of all systems; history including our own, shows that it invariably breaks down under the stress of war."

Mr. Huidkoper concluded his remarks with a statement of what he considered the needs of the army and navy featuring his remarks with a plea for compulsory universal service for the youth of the country whose ages ranged between 19 and 23 years.

ADDITIONAL MARKETS

Chicago Cash Grain.

Chicago, Dec. 29.—Wheat: No. 2 red, nominal; No. 3 red, nominal; No. 2 hard, $1.79½; No. 3 hard, nominal.

Corn—No. 2 yellow, 93@94c; No. 4 yellow, 89½@90½c; No. 4 white, 89@90c.

Oats—No. 3 white, 51¾@51½c; standard, 52@52¾c.

Rye—No. 2, $1.36½; barley, 85c@$1.22; timothy, $3.50@5.50.

Clover, $12.00@17.00; pork, $28.50; lard, $15.15; ribs, $13.00@13.65.

Range of Prices for the Day.

Chicago, Dec. 29, 1916.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat:				
May	1.72¼	1.73⅝	1.70⅛	1.70⅝
July	1.38	1.39⅝	1.38	1.38¾
Corn:				
May	.92¼	.93	.91⅞	.92⅛
July	.91⅝	.92⅛	.91¼	.91⅝
Oats:				
May	.53⅜	.53⅞	.53	.53¼
July	.50⅝	.51¼	.50½	.50⅝
Pork:				
Jan		27.05	26.75	26.75
May	26.77	26.77	26.50	26.50
Lard:				
Jan	15.65	15.65	15.10	15.10
May	15.95	15.95	15.55	15.57
Ribs:				
Jan		13.75	13.62	13.65
May	14.37	14.37	14.10	14.17

Toledo Cash Grain.

Toledo, O., Dec. 29.—Wheat: Cash and December, $1.81; May, $1.81.

Cloverseed—Prime cash and December, $10.50; January, $10.50; March, $10.55.

Alsike—Prime cash and December, $11.20; March, $11.30.

Timothy—Prime cash and December, $2.42½; March, $2.57½.

NEW YORK STOCK LIST—LAST SALE

New York, Dec. 29, 1916.

Allis-Chalmers	27	U M M pfd cts.	87½
Am Beet Sga..	89	Inter Nickel ..	41¾
Am Can	46½	Inter Paper	45¾
Am Car & Fdy	64½	K C Southern..	25¾
Am Locomo ..	76⅝	Kenn Copper ..	45¼
Am Sml & Ref.	104	Lacka Steel ...	82
Am Sugar Ref.	108½	Lehigh Val ..	77¾
Am Tel & Tel.	123⅜	Louis & Nash..	122
Am Zinc	37¾	Max Motor Co.	47¼
Anac Copper .	81½	Mex Petroleum.	95
Atchison	103⅞	Miami Copper .	33¾
Bald Locomo ..	57½	N Y Central...	104
Bald & Ohio...	84	N Y, N H & H	50¼
Bethl Steel ...	525	Norf & West..	134
Butte and Spr.	45¾	No Pacific	109¾
Cal Petroleum.	25	Pennsylvania ..	56¾
Can Pacific ..	165¾	Pressed Stl Car	74¾
Cen Leather ..	84½	Ray Con Cop..	25½
Chesap & Ohio	65	Reading	101½
C, M & St. P..	91½	Rep Iron & Stl	77¼
C, R I & P Ry.	84	So Pacific	96¾
Chino Copper .	53½	So Railway ...	31¾
Col Fuel & Iron	44¾	Studebaker Co.	103¾
Corn Products.	22¾	Texas Co	236
Crucible Steel.	61¾	Tenn Copper ..	
Cuba Cane Sgr	48¼	Union Pacific ..	147¼
D & R G pfd...	40¾	U S In Alcohol.	110¾
Erie	34	U S Rubber.....	61½
Gen Electric .	167	U S Steel.....	106¾
Goodrich Co ..	59½	U S Steel pfd...	119½
Gt Nor Ore Cts	35½	Utah Copper ..	101¾
Gt Nor pfd....	117½	Wabash pfd B.	30
Illinois Central.	105⅞	West Union .	96½
Insp Copper ..	56⅝	Westing Elect.	54⅝
Inter Mar N J.	125		

An aeroplane with seven planes arranged in a semi-circle is claimed by its French inventor to be perfectly stable.

SENTINEL WANT ADS. ALWAYS GET RESULTS.

Outbursts of Everett True

WELL, I SEE THEY'RE STILL AT IT OVER THERE IN EUROPE. SLAUGHTERING EACH OTHER.
YOU KNOW, WAR IS TERRIBLE — TERRIBLE! I WANT TO TELL YOU THAT I'M FOR PEACE —
I'M FOR PEACE, TOO! SO LET'S HAVE SOME!!

DO YOUR CHRISTMAS SWAPPING EARLY!

WHAT WOULD YOU SAY TO YOURSELF IF—

SPAIN PUTS SOME "PEP" IN PROTEST

Resents Constant Practice of German U-Boats in Destroying Prizes

Madrid, via Paris, Dec. 28.—(11:35 p. m.)—The note addressed to Germany on the submarine question by the Spanish government, reviews at length the policy of Madrid from the time the first Spanish ship, the Isidora, was torpedoed in August, 1915. It declares that the Spanish government has always maintained that it was illegal to destroy prizes, as is the constant practice of submarines, and that the cabinet also demanded the observation of the declaration of London, notably article fifty which, it is maintained, submarines violate by abandoning the crews of sunken ships to the mercy of waves far from land.

The note further recalls the vigor of the representations of the Spanish government which it says some times caused the Berlin government to be surprised at the radical attitude of Spain, whose protests, it is held, have been more energetic than those of any other neutral state, even the United States of America.

The note concludes with an announcement that further steps are being taken to avoid or diminish in future the risks to Spanish shipping.

Plans Energetic Steps

Paris, Tuesday, Dec. 26.—(Delayed)—A Havas dispatch from Madrid says the Spanish cabinet, after consideration of the torpedoing of Spanish vessels, has decided to take energetic measures to avoid the constant diminution of the country's merchant marine. Another meeting will be held to give precise form to these measures, the nature of which has not been disclosed.

ASKS LAWSON TO MAKE GOOD

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of the so-called leak and his prediction that there would be another.

"Put up or shut up," said Chairman Henry's telegram. "Cease slandering and libelling congress and public officials or make good your charges."

Mr. Henry announced that he would reintroduce his bill next Tuesday to regulate the New York stock exchange.

"If Mr. Lawson states the truth about Wall street and an alleged leak," he said, "it conclusively shows that the bill introduced by me in the Sixty-third congress to regulate the New York stock exchange should be speedily passed and even should be made more drastic.

"This short session should find a way to protect the American people against such crimes as the one just perpetrated by Wall street if Mr. Lawson is anywhere near the truth."

REJOINDER TO BERLIN SOON

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their legations to address to the governments of the belligerent countries notes in which the Scandinavian governments adhering to the note of President Wilson concerning measures to be adopted for facilitating a durable peace declare they would consider themselves as failing in their duty toward their respective peoples and toward humanity as a whole if they did not express their most profound sympathy with every effort which may contribute toward putting an end to the sufferings and losses, moral and material, which are ever growing in consequence of the war. The three governments in conclusion cherish the hope that the initiative taken by President Wilson will lead to a result worthy of the generous spirit which prompted this action.

A Reuter dispatch from Copenhagen says that the Danish social democrats have cabled President Wilson expressing their sympathy with his action in addressing the belligerent powers. The message also expresses the sincere wish that the president's efforts to end the war and establish a lasting peace may succeed.

EXPLAINS SWISS PART.

Had Nothing to Do With Wilson's Note, Says President.

Bologna, (Via Paris,) Dec. 28.—(11:40 p. m.)—President Schulthess, of Switzerland, has explained the part played by his country in the recent steps in favor of peace in an interivew with Signor Qualiel, editor of the Resto del Carlino.

President Schulthess is quoted as saying "Switzerland had nothing whatever to do with President Wilson's note. The federal council got into communication with the American government in order to learn if the latter intended to do anything in favor of peace and simply received a copy of the note at the same time as the belligerents. The council has decided to support the note, inspired by an ardent desire to see a termination rapidly put to the suffering caused by this terrible war, of which the Swiss people has daily evidence in the shape of interned invalids and civilians from places ordered evacuated.

"I do not know what will be the fate of the neutral proposals and in any case Switzerland has no intention of interfering with the affairs of the belligerents. But she considers it her duty to make it plain that she is ready to help to exchange views in event of its seeming desirable."

The president said that he was astonished at the rumors of fears of the violation of Swiss neutrality.

"I cannot conceive," he said, "that any of the belligerents harbor the idea of passing through our country. It would not be to their advantage. In addition to the great difficulties of terrain they would be confronted with the vigorous resistance of the Swiss army and the whole people. My country knows only one neutrality—absolutely neutrality. Let there be no mistake. In the presence of external danger, no matter from what side it comes, Switzerland will be united, notwithstanding difference in race and language."

ANSWER TO BE MADE TUESDAY

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—Secretary Lane, J. R. Mott and Judge George Gray. Early next week, at a joint session of the Mexican-American commission, the Americans will give the Mexicans their answer.

Those who have been in touch with Carranza's representatives asserted that in his latest communication he expressed a willingness to ratify the agreement if a more definite date for the troop withdrawal were specified and if a more lenient attitude were displayed toward the question of increased bandit activity.

The report persisted today that Ambassador Designate Arredondo had been recalled and that he would be succeeded by Consul de Negri, of San Francisco. Mr. Arredondo denied the story categorically.

COLUMBIA SATURDAY SPECIAL

Brazil glace, 30c lb.; regular price 50c.
COLUMBIA CANDY KITCHEN.

GERMANS IN A NEW DRIVE

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The advance in Wallachia has been pushed to a distance of 20 kilometers northwest of Rimnik-Sarat. In the lake sector 1,400 Russians, three cannon and several machine guns were taken. The town of Ratchelum, in Dobrudja, has been captured.

The Official Statement.

Today's official statement from army headquarters on operations along the Russian front says:

"Eastern front—Front of Prince Leopold: There is nothing important to report."

The official statement said: "Front of Archduke Joseph: The southern wing of the army group commanded by Infantry General Gerok in co-ordination with movements in great Wallachia, has advanced eastward in the mountains. German and Austro-Hungarian troops in the intersected highland terrain of the Transylvanian eastern front captured by storm and hand to hand fighting several positions lying one behind the other. Fourteen hundred Russians and Rumanians weer made prisoner and eighteen machine guns and three cannon captured.

"Army group of field Marshal von Mackensen: On the left wing of the 9th army Bavarian and Austro-Hungarian troops commanded by Lieut. Gen. Krafft von Delmensingen, broke the strong resistance of the allied adversaries in the mountains and reached Dumitresti, 20 kilos northwest of Rimnik Sarat. The right wing of the army advanced northwestward between the Rimnik sector and the course of the Buzue captured several tenaciously defended villages and gave the retreating Russians no time to settle themselves in the prepared position in the lakes sector. In these engagements in West Prussian regiment No. 130 gained distinction.

"The prisoners brought in on Dec. 28 number 1,400 Russians and the booty three cannons and several machine guns.

"In Dobrudja, Ratcheiu has been captured."

From Somme to Verdun

On the Verdun front yesterday German troops transferred from the Somme front entered French positions on hill 304 and on the southern slope of Deadman hill, the war office announces.

The Germans advanced to the second and third French positions capturing seven machine guns. Several French counter attacks were repulsed, the statement says. The Germans brought back 220 prisoners.

ATTACK NEAR VERDUN.

Paris, Dec. 28.—German troops last night delivered an attack in strong force on a three-kilometer front between hill 304 and Deadman's hill northwest of Verdun, the war office announced today. The French infantry and machine gun fire broke the attack, but one of the French trenches south of Deadman's hill being penetrated and this only by a few hostile troops.

The attack was delivered after long and violent artillery preparation. North of Verdun, on the right bank of the Meuse, a strong German reconnaissance was dispersed east of Hardaumont.

CARS LATE IN COMING

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started for their homes as best they could, some going on steam roads and some by interurban. Word received here today was to the effect that the units of Indiana troops at Llano Grande, ordered home after the Third Indiana arrived at Fort Harrison entrained today. The First and Second regiments, however, will remain in camp there.

The men mustered out today received approximately a month's pay of $14.50 and some allowance for clothing.

Letter from Baker.

A letter to Col. Aubrey L. Kuhlman, commanding officer, from Newton I. Baker, secretary of war, was read to the soldiers before they departed for their homes. The letter follows:

"I wish to thank you and the officers and men of your organization who went to the border in response to the call of the president for the valuable service yyou have rendered to the country.

"When the National Guard was called into the service of the federal government, the lives of men, women and children along the frontier were in grave danger, owing to the formidable bandit raids from the Mexican side of the boundary. It is not too much to say that had these raids continued there was danger of international war.

"From the time of the arrival of the units of the National Guard on the border, the raids ceased, and the tension between the two countrires began to relax.

"It is the houe and belief of the government that the presence of the units of the National Guard, together with the units of the regular army, on the border and in Mexico, and the presence in mobilization camps of the units of the National Guard in readiness for such service, has made possible a peaceful solution of a difficult and threatening problem.

Where They Will Go.

The headquartrers company and the machine gun company, two new organizations created since the call last summer, will lhave headquarters at Warsaw. The supply company will have headquarters at Auburn. Company B. of Angola, and company K, of Auburn, will be the first to leave. The other companies departed during the day. They are company D, Kendallville; company G, Portland; company C, Monticello; company I, Plymouth; company L, Valparaiso; company M, Rensselaer; company A, Albion; company E, Elkhart; company F, South Bend; company H, Warsaw, and the regimental infirmary, Angola.

HORSE BREEDERS TO MEET.

Belgian Horse Raisers Especially Urged to Attend.

There will be a meeting of Allen county horse breeders at 1 o'clock Saturday afternoon in the office of A. J. Hutchins, county agent. Especially are Belgian horse breeders asked to the meeting but attendance is in no way confined to that class of breeders. Recently an attempt was made to organize the Belgian horse breeders of the county into an association, but later plans for such an organization were dropped until after the holidays.

THE AEROPLANE HAT.

BY BETTY BROWN.

The aeroplane is so new to our unaccustomed eye it seems odd—dare we say freaky. But it will be the semi-dress hat of late winter. This model, with the far-flung brim, is from Fashion Art Magazine. It is dark taupe colo or velvet, with just those curly feathers to trim it.

The sports blouse is made on the new tailored lines. It is wash satin in delicate green. Black velvet tabs and novelty buttons of green and white trim it smartly.

HAND-A-CURA

(Registered)

The Friend of Hands That Work

—2 oz. 15c——4 oz. 25c—

The merit of HAND-A-CURA does not lie in the fact that we prepare and sell it exclusively, but in the fact that we are too high principled to prepare **HAND-A-CURA** out of any but the purest, best and freshest drugs. In other words, **HAND-A-CURA** has a character, and one so good that before we did a word of advertising for it, it had already won many staunch and loyal friends.

For Chapped, Sore Hands HAND-A-CURA Is a blessing. We do not recommend it particularly as a beauty cream, but for sore hands, hands that work and need medicine to keep them in good healthy condition, we cannot recommend it too highly. That's the reason we refer to it as "the friend of hands that work."

There Are Imitations Gotten Out by Imitators But There Is Only One HAND-A-CURA and Only One Place to Buy It.

D. & N. PHARMACY

Reliable Cut Rate Drug Store at the Transfer Corner.

PALACE

TODAY

B. F. KEITH'S

Tremendous Holiday

Festival Show

Curtain Promptly at 2:30 and 8:15.

Matine Time		Night Time
2:30	Overture	8:15
2:38	World Tours.	8:20
2:50	Bernivicci Bros.	8:35
3:03	LeRoy & Harvey	8:48
3:18	Larimore & Co.	9:03
3:29	Bevan & Flint	9:14
3:47	Tilford & Co.	9:32
4:02	Chas Semon Werner.	9:47
4:22	Amoros 3.	10:07
4:41	Curtain	10:26

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Madeira Handkerchiefs	Cluny Silk Kimonos	Syrian Crochet Bed Spreads
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DOINGS OF THE DUFFS

TOM SHOULD HAVE ORDERED A TAXI FOR THE POOR GUY.

By Allman

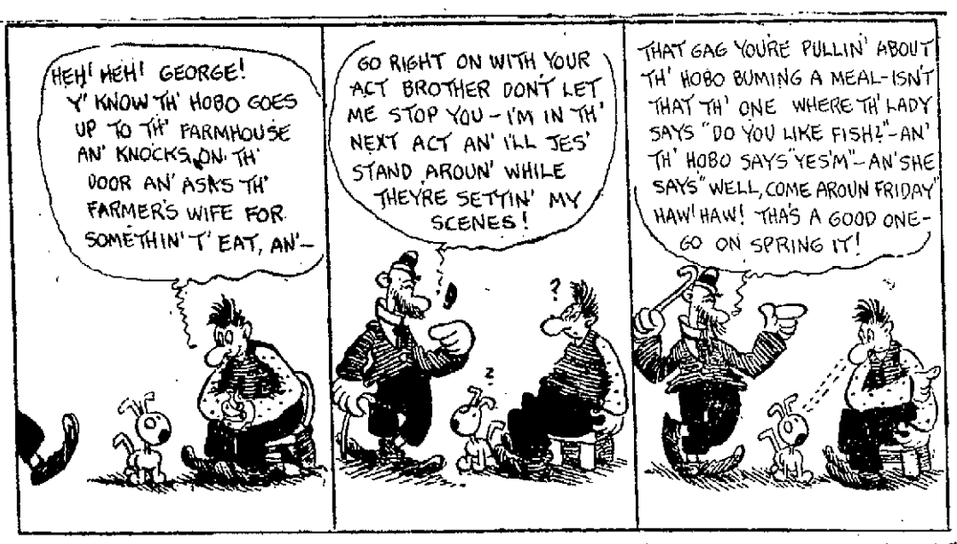
I CAN TELL BY THE LOOK ON YOUR FACE THAT YOU HAVEN'T FOUND A JOB YET - WELL, I FIXED IT UP WITH THE BOSS TO GIVE YOU YOUR OLD JOB BACK - NOW GO UP TO THE OFFICE AND GET TO WORK -
TOM, YOU'RE A PRINCE
SAY, PARDNER, WOULD YOU HELP A POOR BOY OUT, THAT WAS A STRANGER IN THE CITY AND DIDN'T HAVE NO JOB?
SO YOU'RE OUT OF A JOB TOO?
WELL, I'LL SEE WHAT I CAN DO

I THANK YOU OLD PAL, YOU'RE A PRINCE - SAY, CAN YOU TELL ME WHERE IS THE NEAREST SALOON AROUND HERE?
JUST AS I EXPECTED - WELL, THE NEAREST ONE IS RIGHT ACROSS THE STREET - IF YOU MUST
IS THAT THE NEAREST ONE? GEE THIS TOWN IS SPREAD OUT!

SQUIRREL FOOD

WE SUSPECT BALMY BENNY OF HIRING THIS FELLOW TO PUT 'EM OVER.

By Ahern


HEH! HEH! GEORGE! Y' KNOW TH' HOBO GOES UP TO TH' FARMHOUSE AN' KNOCKS ON TH' DOOR AN' ASKS TH' FARMER'S WIFE FOR SOMETHIN' T' EAT, AN'-
GO RIGHT ON WITH YOUR ACT BROTHER DON'T LET ME STOP YOU - I'M IN TH' NEXT ACT AN' I'LL JES' STAND AROUN' WHILE THEYRE SETTIN' MY SCENES!
THAT GAG YOURE PULLIN' ABOUT TH' HOBO BUMING A MEAL - ISN'T THAT TH' ONE WHERE TH' LADY SAYS "DO YOU LIKE FISH?" - AN' TH' HOBO SAYS "YES'M" - AN' SHE SAYS "WELL, COME AROUN FRIDAY" HAW! HAW! THA'S A GOOD ONE - GO ON SPRING IT!

HE HAD ANOTHER ONE HE WAS GONNA SPRING ABOUT TH' COFFEE POT AN' KETTLE SINGING - AN' YOU WERE SUPPOSED TO SAY - 'NOTHING STRANGE ABOUT THAT BENNY' - AN'
THEN HE SAYS "BUT GEORGE THEY WERE SINGING FOR A WAGER, AN' I CAN PROVE IT" - AN' YOU SAY "WHY BENNY, YOURE CRAZY; HOW CAN YOU PROVE IT?"
AN' THEN BENNY RESNORTS, "EASY LIKE THAT GEORGE, BECAUSE TH' FRYIN' PAN WAS IN TH' MIDDLE HOLDING TH' STEAKS" - HAW! NOT BAD! - NOT BAD! NOT 'ALF BAD!
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Sentinel Want Ads Will Save You Time, Labor and Money—They Get Results

MILLER MISSES PRICE OF WHEAT 13 CENTS

Price Goes Up Ten Cents a Bushel Instead of Three Cents Down.

One of the leading millers of the city, with headquarters on Barr street, stated Thursday that the price of wheat would go down 3 cents a bushel by Friday. Instead before the close of the markets Thursday the price jumped up 10 cents on the bushel. This goes to show how unsteady the wheat market is at the present time. Speculation in big trading centers has made the wheat market an unsafe proposition and dealers are handling the grain with careful fingers.

Friday millers would make no predictions. They state that one hour the price is up and the next five minutes it is down again. Flour prices have not been changed materially, as it is expected that the price of wheat may go lower in a few days.

Other prices remained unchanged and receipts were small. Live stock market prices were the same. The egg market, as well as the poultry market, is beginning to show more action than usual.

THE MARKETS.

TWELFTH DISTRICT PRICES.

Grain, Hay and Feed.

Wheat—$1.68@1.70 bu.
Rye—$1.10@1.25 bu.
Oats—50c bu.
Barley—70c bu.
Corn—85@90c bu.

RETAIL STREET MARKET.

Eggs—Strictly fresh (candled), 47c doz. doz.
Butter—Country butter, 39c lb.
Poultry—Chickens, 18@24c lb.
Potatoes—$1.90 bu.

Wholesale Barr Street Market.

Eggs—40@42c doz.
Chickens—14@15c lb.
Lard—16@17c lb.
Butter—35c lb.
Hogs—$9.00@10.00.
Wool—Unwashed, 40c lb.
Wheat—$1.68@1.70 bu.
Corn—88@91c bu.
Hay—$10.00@12.00.

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Eckert Packing Co.
(Corrected Daily by E. A. Walker.)

HOGS—
170 to 250 lbs.....$10.00
140 to 150 lbs..... 9.75
120 to 130 lbs..... 9.00

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS.

C. Tresselt & Co.

Wheat—$1.68 bu.
Rye—$1.10@1.25 bu.
Oats—47c bu.
Corn—82c bu.
Barley—75c bu.
Flour—Winter wheat straight (Hungarian), $8.60@9.20 per bbl; winter wheat, patent (Silver Dollar), $9.20@9.80 bbl.
Little Turtle Flour—$8.40@9.00.
Rye—Pure rye flour, $8.00@8.60.
Bran—$32.00@34.00 per ton.
Shorts—$32.00@34.00 per ton.
Middlings—$34.00@36.00 per ton.
Chopfeed—$46.00@48.00 ton.
Cornmeal—Bolted, $2.60@2.70 per cwt; coarse, $2.50@2.60 per cwt.
Cracked Corn—$2.50@2.60 per cwt.
Screenings—$26.00@28.00 per ton.
Small Wheat—$2.60 per cwt.

MAYFLOWER MILLS.

Wheat—$1.70 bu.
Corn—80c bu.
Oats—50c bu.
Rye—$1.25 bu.
Barley—60c bu.
Flour—Winter wheat (straight), $8.60@9.00 bbl; Newveno flour, $9.40@10.00 bbl; Silver Dust flour, $8.80@9.20; rye flour, $6.60@7.00.
Bran—$35.00@36.00 ton.
Middlings—$35 ton.
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GLOBE MILLS QUOTATIONS.

Wheat—$1.68 bu; corn, 82c bu; oats, 47c bu; rye, $1.10@1.25 bu; barley, 75c bu; Jumbo poultry feed, $30.00@40.00 ton; salt per bbl, $1.25.
$8/40; bleached straight winter wheat (Holiday), $8.80 per bbl; Gold Lace, $8.60 per bbl; Graham flour, $8.40@9.00; @9.60 ped bul; Graham flour, $8.40@9.00; Pumpernickel flour, $7.80 bbl; bran, $34.00 @36.00 ton; cornmeal (bolted), $3.00 cwt; cornmeal (coarse), $2.00@2.40 cwt.

HIDES, WOOL, ROOTS, ETC.

(Weil Bros. & Co.)

Hides—Green, 17c per lb; cured, light and heavy, 23c per lb; green calfskin, 30c per lb; cured calfskin, 35@40c per lb.
Horsehides—$9.00 and down.
Wild Ginseng Root—$9.00 and down.
Cultivated Ginseng Root—$5.00 and down to $2.50 for inferior
Golden Seal Root (dry)—$4.50 and down.
Wool—No. 1 unwashed, 40c per lb.
No. 1 Edible Tallow—12c per lb.
Extra Choice Tallow—11c per lb.
No. 1 Prime Tallow—10c per lb.
B. Tallow—9½c per lb.
No. 2 Tallow—8@8½c per lb.
White Grease—10c and down per lb.
Yellow Grease—8@9c per lb.
Brown Grease—7@8c per lb.

MAIER HIDE AND FUR CO.

No. 1 green hides—17c per lb.
No. 1 calfskin, cured—28@29c lb.
No. 2 calfskin, cured—33c lb.
No. 1 calfskin, green—30c.
No. 1 horsehides—$9.00 and down.
Pelts, according to quality, 50c to $2.00.
Wild Ginseng—$8.00@9.00.
Golden Seal Root—$4.50@5.00.
Wool—35@39c per lb.

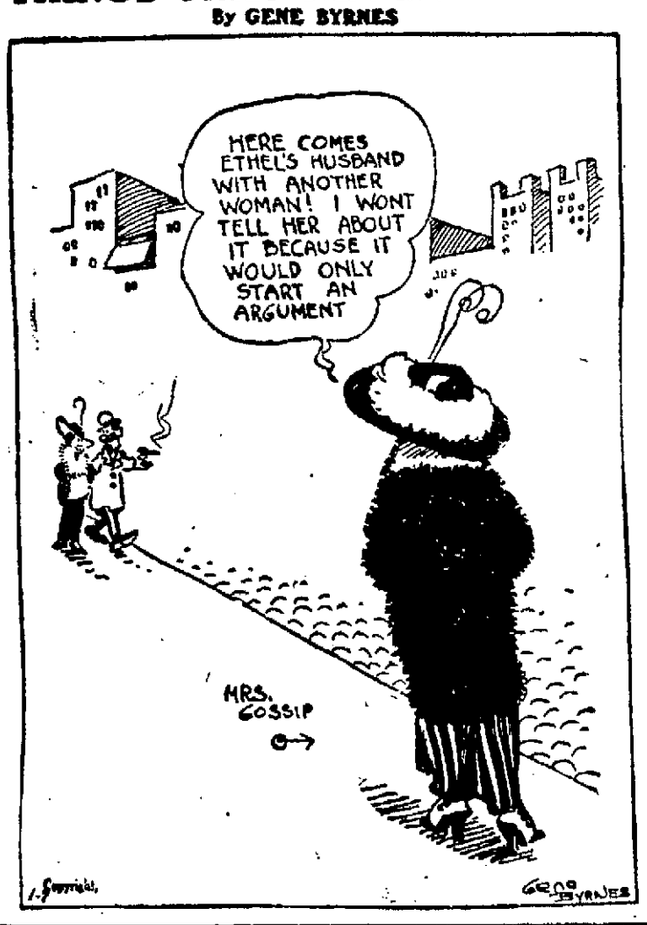
FEED QUOTATIONS.

(Corrected by W. D. Henderson & Co.)

New Timothy—$10.00@12.00 ton.
Corn—85@90c bu.

THINGS THAT NEVER HAPPEN

By GENE BYRNES


HERE COMES ETHEL'S HUSBAND WITH ANOTHER WOMAN! I WONT TELL HER ABOUT IT BECAUSE IT WOULD ONLY START AN ARGUMENT
MRS. GOSSIP
GENE BYRNES

Oats—50c bu.
Barley—70@75c bu.

PRODUCE QUOTATIONS.

(Ackerman-Weiner Co.—Corrected by C. M. Weiner.)

Butter—Country roll, 30@35c.
Fresh eggs, per doz, 40@42c.
Potatoes—$4.25@4.50 per sack.
Chickens—Young or old, 15c lb.

BEYER BROTHERS' QUOTATIONS.

(Corrected Daily by George Crouse. Subject to change without notice.)

Michigan potatoes, per 10-peck bag, $4.50@4.75.
Apples—Fancy No. 1 Michigan, $3.00@4.00 bbl.
Onions—No. 1 yellow, per cwt, $2.50@3.00; No. 2 yellow, per cwt, $1.50@2.00.
Lemons—300, California, per box, $6.00.
Oranges—$5.00@5.50 box.

CITY SCALES.

Hay—Receipts, 26 loads; $10.00@12.00 ton.
Corn—Receipts, 5 loads; 88@91c bu.
Oats—Receipts, 4 loads; 53@55c bu.

POULTRY PRICES.

(Sherman White Co.)

Hens—4 lbs and over, 14c.
Springers—15c lb.
Old roosters—8c.
Butter fat—40c.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS.

Chicago, Dec. 29.—Continued urgency of export demand rallied the wheat market today after an early decline. Dispatches from Liverpool, referring to a scarcity of supplies there and showing an advance in quotations tended also to give an advantage to the bulls. Opening prices which ranged from unchanged to 1 cent lower, with May at $1.72¾@1.73 and July at $1.33@1.33⅜, were followed by moderate further losses and then a rise all around to well above yesterday's finish.

Corn hardened owing to opinions expressed that the high prices of hogs warranted an advance. After opening ⅜@½c up the market sagged a little, then scored a decided upturn.

Oats paralleled the action of corn. Lower quotations on hogs pulled down provisions.

Toledo Closing Prices.

Toledo, O., Dec. 29.—Close: Wheat—Cash, $1.81; December, $1.81; May, $1.81.
Corn—Cash, 97c; December, 97c; May, 94½c.
Oats—Cash, 54½c; December, 54½c; May, 56¼c.
Rye—Cash, $1.38.

New York Grain and Provisions.

New York, Dec. 29.—Flour market was firm; spring patents, $8.80@9.05; winter patents, $8.20@8.40; winter straights, $7.95 @8.20; Kansas straights, $8.70@8.90.

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

East Buffalo Market.

East Buffalo, N. Y., Dec. 29.—Hogs: Receipts, 4,800 head; shipments, 1,900 head; official shipments to New York yesterday, 760 head; hogs closing slow; medium and heavies, $10.90@11.00; Yorkers, $10.75@11.00; pigs, $9.50@9.75; roughs, $9.50@9.75; stags, $7.50@8.50.
Cattle—Receipts, 200 head; market was steady.
Sheep—Receipts, 1,600 head; market was strong; top lambs, $14.00.

Chicago Market.

Chicago, Dec. 29.—Hogs: Receipts, 44,000 head; market was slow, 5c to 10c under yesterday's average; bulk, $10.20@10.60; light, $9.65@10.40; mixed, $10.10@10.65; heavy, $10.35@10.65; rough, $10.10@10.30; pigs, $7.50@9.35.
Cattle—Receipts, 4,500 head; market was strong; cattle, $7.25@11.80; western steers, $7.25@10.00; stockers and feeders, $5.25@8.15; cows and heifers, $4.25@10.00; calves, $8.50@12.50.
Sheep—Receipts, 9,000 head; market was steady; wethers, $9.10@10.25; lambs, $11.25@13.50.

Pittsburg Market.

Pittsburg, Dec. 29.—Hogs: Receipts, 1,000 head; market was higher; heavies, $11.00@11.10; heavy Yorkers, $10.75@10.95; light Yorkers, $10.00@10.25; pigs, $9.25 @9.75.
Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 500 head; market was steady; top sheep, $9.25; top lambs, $13.65.
Calves—Receipts, 200 head; market was steady; top, $14.00.

Indianapolis Market.

Indianapolis, Dec. 29.—Hogs: Receipts, 14,000; cattle, 1,100; calves, 500; sheep, 350.
Hogs—Best heavies, $10.50@10.80; medium and mixed, $10.30@10.70; bulk of sales, $10.30@10.70.

PRODUCE AND PAULTRY.

New York Market.

New York, Dec. 29.—Butter market was steady; receipts, 7,218 tubs.
Eggs—Market was steady; receipts, 6,096 cases; extra firsts, 48@49c; firsts, 46@47c.
Poultry—Alive, firm; chickens, 20@21c; fowls, 20@21½c; turkeys, 28@30c; dressed, quiet; prices unchanged.

Chicago Market.

Chicago, Dec. 29.—Butter market was higher; creamery, 32@39c.
Eggs—Receipts, 3,006 cases; market was unchanged.
Potatoes—Receipts, 20 cars; market was unchanged.
Poultry—Alive, lower; fowls, 15@18c; springs, 18½c; turkeys, 23c.

THE DAY ON WALL STREET.

New York, Dec. 29.—The final session of the year began with further pressure against the general list. United States Steel was heaviest of the prominent issues on its first offering of 3,000 shares at 103¾ and 103⅞, an extreme decline of 1¼ points. Recessions of 1 to 2 points were recorded by Union Pacific, Utah Copper, Industrial Alcohol and Cuba Cane Sugar, while Ohio Gas and Columbia Gas, affiliated utilities, were lower by 2¾ and 4 points respectively. Marines, motors and equipments also fell off moderately. Fractional gains were made by Central Leather, Atlantic Gulf and West Indies and Inspiration Copper, with 4½ points for Texas company.

It required but little buying to restore prices to yesterday's final quotations, steel, coppers and some of the purely speculative issues rebounding easily. Texas company increased its lead to 6½ points and other oils made moderate responses. Bethlehem Steel rose 20 points and the lower priced munitions and equipments also hardened. Trading became very dull on the rally until the selling of the motors provoked further heaviness. Studebaker broke 4⅜ points with 2 to 5 points for Willys-Overland, Chandler General Motors and Saxon. Rails were slow and irregular. Bonds were firm.

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—Young girl for light housework, no laundry work, to go home nights. Call mornings, 910 W. Berry, second floor. 29-2t

WANTED—Girls 15 years and older. Wayne Knitting Mills. 29-2t

WANTED—A good dishwasher. 1516 South Calhoun St. 12-21-tf

EITHER SEX.

WANTED—People to borrow money on their diamonds, watches and jewelry, low rates, long time. Ft. Wayne Credit Co., 1221 Calhoun. Phone 625. 11-14-tf

WANTED SITUATION.

WANTED—A lady with 20 years' department store experience wants a job with a Fort Wayne firm. Postoffice box 169, city.

MISCELLANEOUS.

H. GOLDSTINE—Umbrellas and parasols repaired and re-covered. Fancy parasols made to order. Work called for and delivered. Telephone 2434. 120 East Main street, Fort Wayne, Ind. 2-1-tf

WANTED—Watch, clock and jewelry repairing at reduced prices. Wayne Littlefield jewelry store, successor to Dallas F. Green, 208 West Berry street. 8-9-tf

WANTED—Second-hand pianos in exchange for Columbia Grafonolas. Jacobs Music House, 1021-1023 Calhoun street. 7-11-tf

WANTED—Light and heavy hauling, anywhere. Phone 7758 blue. 15-tf

New York Sugar Market.

New York, Dec. 29.—Raw sugar, firm; centrifugal, 5.14; molasses, 4.27; refined, quiet; fine granulated, 6.85; futures, quiet.

DRIFTED ALL NIGHT ABOARD OPEN BOATS

Crew and 126 Passengers Periled When Russian Ship Hits Mine.

New York, Dec. 29.—The Russian steamer Kursk, while bound from Archangel, Russia for New York with 126 passengers aboard, hit a mine on Nov. 29, off Kirkwall, Scotland. One passenger and two members of the crew were drowned while life boats were being launched.

Part of the Kursk's stern was torn off by the explosion and she was later towed into Kirkwall by English patrol boats. Her passengers and crew drifted all night in open boats. The news of the accident was brought here today by the rescued passengers who arrived on the steamship Lapland from Liverpool.

The Kursk hit the mine about 11 o'clock at night and it was 6 a. m. the next day before the English patrol boats found the steamship's drifting life boats. There were 17 American horse men returning from Archangel among the passengers.

CRUDE OIL AT TOP PRICE.

Pennsylvania Product Reaches $2.85 Per Barrel at Pittsburg.

Pittsburg, Pa., Dec. 29.—The highest price ever quoted for Pennsylvania crude oil was announced by the principal purchasing agencies today when through an advance of 10 cents a barrel, the quotation reached $2.85. Other grades were each advanced five cents, except Ragland, which remained at 95 cents. The advance was brought about by the continued demand of refiners, who declare that there is an abundance of oil above ground, but producers are holding it for still higher prices. Some of them are quoted as declaring that not until $3 oil has been reached will they release their stocks.

Outbursts of Everett True

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SO, THIS IS THE WAY YOU RESIST THE HIGH PRICES, EH? ADVISE OTHERS TO CUT OUT MEAT AND EGGS AND THEN SNEAK AROUND TO A PLACE LIKE THIS AND STUFF YOURSELF WITH BOTH!

Help Wanted—Male

MEN—Our illustrated catalogue explains how we teach the barber trade quickly, mailed free. Moler Barber College, Indianapolis, Ind. 12-29-1mo

MEN—Our illustrated catalogue explains how we teach the barber trade quickly, mailed free. Moler Barber College, Indianapolis, Ind. 12-2-1mo

WANTED—Boy to carry route in Spy Run. Apply to Circulation Manager, Sentinel.

WANTED—Boy with bicycle. Reiley's drug store, 2012 Fairfield Ave. 12-18-tf

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—HOMES.

FOR RENT—Modern seven-room house, half square from Creighton Ave., 2223 Winter St.; good paved street. Phone 2593. 12-19-tf

FOR RENT—7-room modern house, 1210 Webster St.; rent $33.50. Phone 2857 black. 29-4t

FOR RENT—6-room new house, bath and furnace, corner Green and Reed, $25.00 per month. Phone 3650. 12-16-tf

FOR RENT—FLATS.

FOR RENT—Upper flat, corner Fairfield and Jefferson. Inquire 1117 Fairfield. Tel. 1638 black. 28-2t

STORE AND OFFICE ROOMS.

FOR RENT—Two modern office rooms, heat and light furnished. 218 West Washington. Modern flat, heat furnished. 918 West Berry St.
SCHRADER & WILSON, Main and Court, first floor. 8-28-tf

FOR RENT—Part of office and stock or work room, good business location. Phone 3178. 12-22-eod-tf

FOR RENT—Office rooms, first-class, 130 W. Wayne St. Inquire at Dr. Havice. 12-19-tf

MISCELLANEOUS.

FOR RENT OR STORAGE—I have room for storeing two automobiles for winter in fine place where I keep my own, and will always give same attention I do my own: rent very reasonable. Address 2310 John St. Phone 6084 blue. 11-23-tf

Lost and Found

LOST—Ladies' gold watch, "F. H. D." on back, also gold pin for same. Reward. Phone 3488. 813 Fulton St. 27-2t

LOST—First National bank book. Return 912 Eliza street. Reward. 28-2t

STRAYED—Long-haired, black and tan pup, from 717 E. Lewis street. Reward. 28-2t

Rooms for Rent

FOR RENT—2 or 3 unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping, modern, or will furnish for sleeping rooms. Inquire 2018 S. Harrison, or in person to Mr. Druley at Packard House Furnishing Co. on Columbia St. No phone calls answered.

FOR RENT—One large room, unfurnished, downstairs, for light housekeeping, private entrance. 413 Madison St. 28-2t

BUYS MOVIE HOUSE

Edson Theatre on South Calhoun Re-Opened Under New Management

Some days ago C. S. Downey, 2711 Hoagland avenue, purchased the Edson theatre at the corner of Leith and Calhoun streets, which has been closed for sometime. Later a half interest was purchased by W. S. Perry, 331 West Dewald. Extensive repairs and improvements have been made to the interior of the theatre which has been re-opened under the name of the New Edson. Mr. Downey purchased the theatre from William Sweet, 731 West Superior street.

NEW YORK MOOSERS QUIT.

State and National Headquarters in Gotham Are Closed.

New York, Dec. 29.—Owing to the failure of the progressives in New York state to poll a sufficient vote in the recent elections to entitle their ticket to a place on the ballot, the party lost recognition in this state and the doors of the progressive headquarters—state and national—have been closed. At the offices of George W. Perkins, chairman of the executive committee of the national committee, the only statement of an explanatory nature forthcoming was that "there is no longer a progressive organization in this state."

AWAITS ONE ACCEPTANCE.

Tariff Commission Personnel Nearly Ready to Be Given Out.

Washington, Dec. 29.—Announcement of the members of the tariff commission will be made by President Wilson as soon as word is received from Professor Frank Taussig, of Harvard, whether he will accept one of the places.

BURGLAR IN MUTES HOME.

Mrs. James Madden, who lives in the rear flat above 1241 Wells street, did not scream for help when she saw a burglar in her apartments Thursday afternoon, because Mrs. Madden is a deaf mute. But she hastened towards the tall man who stumbled down a back stairway. Mrs. Madden found several drawers in the dresser and bureau had been ransacked. Nothing of any value was missed. Mr. Madden, who is also a mute, visited the station and interpreted the story to the police. Detective Sergeant Immel has been detailed on the case.

WILL SEND FLOWER SEED.

Congressman Cyrus Cline will send garden and flower seed to anyone writing him for it. Often persons have been sent seed who were already supplied. The seed is sent free of charge.

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FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—HOMES.

FOR SALE—Seven rooms, bath and large garage, all new, modern improvements, inside and outside; no better location on south side; No. 2708 South Wayne avenue, second door south of Swayne avenue; lot 60 by 159 feet. Inquire at Nuttman & Co.'s bank, 125 East Main street. O. S. Hanna. 10-11-tf

FOR SALE—A two-family flat, in the southwest; good location for Electric works employes. Flats now rent for $12.00 each. Small cash payment required; your rent will take care of the balance.
W. E. DOUD. Phone 253. 8-9-tf

FOR SALE—In west end, fine location, full corner lot with house in front, double house in rear; street and alley paved; a good investment at a bargain if taken at once. Corner, care Sentinel. 9-16-tf

FOR SALE—Seven-room house, on paved street, near Electric works, beam ceiling in dining-room; nicely decorated. Payments, $3,100.00.
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FOR SALE—All modern, fine 9-room home, 2726 Holton Ave., 200 feet from car line, a bargain. Phone 6776 red. 12-5-tf

START RIGHT—Jan. 1st, get into this dandy 6-room home on south side, modern except furnace, good lot and barn, now only $2,800. A lot or small cash payment down. Call 2105. 6-9-tf

FOR SALE—Seven-room modern house, near St. Patrick's church; nicely papered, built-in buffet, beam ceiling, toilet on every floor, garage. Call DOUD for particulars. 8-9-tf

FOR SALE—Seven-room modern house, close to Bowsers and James Smart school, one block from car line. Price $3,500.00.
W. E. DOUD. Phone 253. 8-9-tf

FOR SALE—New six-room modern house, on paved street, near Bowsers. Payments, $3,750.00.
W. E. DOUD. Phone 253. 8-9-tf

FOR SALE—Monthly payments, seven-room all modern house, near Pennsylvania shops, immediate possession. Telephone 631 or 7556 black. 12-2-tf

FOR SALE—Six-room house, on John St., all modern except furnace, $2,300.00.
W. E. DOUD. Phone 253. 8-9-tf

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A REAL BARGAIN—Dandy strip of level and high ground, 150x147, will make 4 nice lots, joins $4,500.00 house, sewers and city water, just the thing to build houses on, handy to Bowsers, Western Gas and Pennsylvania shops; price $1,350, part cash, no agents. Address Lot Bargain, Sentinel. 29-3t

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FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—FARM LANDS.

FOR SALE—Small Missouri farm, $10 cash and $5 monthly; no interest or taxes; highly productive land; close to three big markets; write for photographs and full information. Munger, A-151 New York Life Bldg., Kansas City, Mo. 9-16-tf

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A $361 car, plus $15 freight, plus $100 for electric starter, plus $13.70 for changing from 3-inch to 3½ inch tires, and, if you want demountable rims add about $20 more. Shock absorbers would cost another $10 to $20; a mohair top costs $25 to $30. Oh, yes, a ventilating wind shield is $10. Change your lamps for lamps with dimmers is another outlay of $6 or more. Now you have carried with about $550 and still have a $361 car, without a speedometer. So, why not buy a

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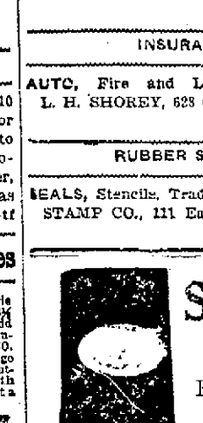
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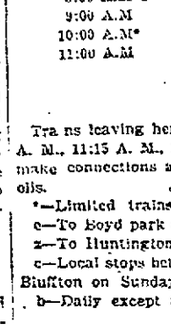
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Ten or More Grocery Items Must Be Ordered for Delivery.

Dry Lima Beans, 10c lb, 5 lbs. for.... 45c	Black Eye Beans 10c lb, 5 lbs. for.... 45c	Extra Fancy Rice, very best, 7c lb, 4 lbs for 25c
Dressed Rabbits, each, 30c. New York Cream Cheese, the very Best, Per Pound, 25c.		
Dressed Stewing Hen, Roasting Chickens, Geese, Ducks and Turkeys.		
Navel Granges dozen 15c	Bulk Cocoa, pound 19c	Gunpowder Tea, pound 35c
A Bread Flour, guaranteed, small sack $1.05	Good Coffee, 17c; sale 5 pounds	75c
Kitchen Kleanser, 5c can; 5 for 19c	Rub-No-More Soap, 5c size, 10 bars for.. 39c	Canvas Gloves, 10c pair; 3 pair, 25c; one dozen pair 95c
Pillsbury Flour, sack $1.25	New Veno Flour sack $1.25	Gold Medal Flour, sack.... $1.25

Seeded Raisins, 2 pkgs., 25c.
Fancy Prunes, 2 lbs. 25c.
Mince Meat, 10c, 3 pkgs., 25c.
Granulated Sugar, 7½c lb.
25-lb. sack, $1.85.
Rolled Oats, 5-lb. sack, 25c.
Flake Hominy, 4 lbs. 25c.
Pearl Hominy, 6 lbs. 25c.

Heiny's Market, 1418 Calhoun Street.

Rib Roasts, Oven Roasts, Chuck Roasts and Pot Roasts, your choice, lb., 15c.
Pork Shoulder, lb., 14½c.
Hamburg Steak, lb., 12½c.
Porterhouse and Sirloin Steaks, lb., 18c.

Armour's Best Margarine Butter, 5-lb. carton, $1.25.
Swift Margarine, 2 lbs. for 50c.
Nice Comb Honey, 19c lb.
Apple Butter, quart jar, 25c.
Fresh Cornmeal, sack, 10c.
Navy Beans, 2 lbs., 25c.
Chilli Beans, 2 lbs., 25c.

Fruit House Prices

5 lbs. Granulated CANE Sugar, with your week-end order...35c
White's Lily Quality Flour, sack $1.15
Gold Medal Flour, sack.....$1.25
Table Syrup, gallon cans.....45c
Golden Rio Coffee, lb.....15c
Arbuckle's Yuban Coffee, lb...35c
Pure Breakfast Cocoa, lb.....22c
Baltimore Oysters, quart.....45c
Selected Cod Fish, 2-lb. bricks, 25c
Apple Butter, jar 15c
Seeded Raisins, pkg.....12½c
Sugar Corn, can.....10c
Early June Peas, can.....10c
Fancy Tomatoes, can 10c
Alaska Salmon, can.....12½c
German Sauerkraut, can....12½c
Hominy, pkg. 10c
Red D Cut Macaroni, pkg.....10c
Peanut Butter, rich quality, lb. 15c
Fancy Head Rice, lb.....7c
Holland Herring, keg $1.05
Best Rolled Oats, lb.....5c

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POULTRY

is going to very scarce. Will have an extra lot of Dressed Chickens. Please place your order early and play safe.

Oysters, Select, per pt.....25c
Celery, Kalamazoo, per bunch....10c
Cranberries, per lb.....12c
Oranges, Navels, per doz.....25c
Oranges, Florida, per doz.....[illegible]
Bananas, per doz.....25c
Mixed Nuts, per lb.....22c
Mince Meat, home-made, 2 lbs....25c
Honey, Clover Bloom, per lb.....20c
Eggs, Best Storage, per doz.....36c
Oleomargarine, with coloring, per pound 25c
Potatoes, Michigan, per pk.....50c
Flour, Special, per sack.....$1.10
Gran. Sugar, 10 lbs.....75c
Macaroni, broken, 3 lbs.....25c
Maxie Pancake Flour, 3 pkgs.....25c
Old-fashion Buckwheat, 5 lbs....35c
Green or Wax Beans, 2 cans.....25c
Asparagus Tips, per can.....20c
Red Beets, 10c, 3 cans.....25c

Scheele Meat Market

1218 Maumee Ave.

Pork Shoulders, lb.....15c
Pork Loins, lb.....17c
Pork Chops, lb.....18c
Pork Roast, lb...17c and 18c
Fresh Side Pork, lb.....17c
Fresh Pork Sausage, lb. 15c
Fresh Liver Sausage, 10c lb.; 3 lbs.....25c
Smoked Pork Sausage and Pladtdeutch, lb.....18c
Bologna and Garlic Sausage, lb. 13c
Large Frankfurters, lb. 15c
Fresh Hamburger, lb....15c

LARD.

2-lb. Pails 35c
3-lb. Pails 50c
5-lb. Pails 85c
10-lb. Pails $1.70
Bulk Lard, lb.....18c

Phone 2389.

SEES THE END OF GASOLINE SUPPLY

Then Eases Tension by Estimate on Available Crude Oil.

Chicago, Dec. 29.—A note of alarm as to the gasoline supply of the country was sounded at the convention of the Society of Agriculture Engineers today by Dr. Oscar E. Bransky, of the Standard Oil company.

He declared that production was not keeping pace with consumption and that exhaustion of the supply was drawing near. The tension was considerably relieved, however, when it was calculated that the estimated remaining supply of crude oil, visible and invisible, 7,629,000,000 barrels in all, would last 138 years longer at the 1916 rate of consumption of 55,000,000 barrels.

Dr. Bransky said next year there will be 3,000,000 automobiles in operation in the United States, or 750,000 more than this year. He estimated that eastern oil fields are 75 per cent exhausted; mid continnetal field, 50 per cent; Texas fields, 80 per cent, and the California fields, 35 per cent exhausted.

SOCIETY

Miss Margaret Strieder entertained a few girl friends at the Palace on Friday and with refreshments afterwards.

Mrs. Reuben S. Patterson and son, and her niece, Miss Vogel, left on Friday for Los Angeles, Cal., for the winter.

Miss Grace Romary is to dance at Minuet hall at New Year's entertainments.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Thiebald, of Kalamazoo, Mich., are visiting her sister, Mrs. William Kappel, of South Broadway, over New Year's.

HALT TRAIN TO FIGHT FIRE.

Attica, Ind., Dec. 29.—When the engineer on Wabash train No. 51 saw flames bursting from the roof of a farm house, near the railroad track, early today, east of Riverside, he stopped his train, organized a bucket brigade of the train crew and some of the passengers, and extinguished the blaze before much damage had been done. The house was owned by a farmer named Edwards. The occupants did not know it was burning until the volunteer bucket brigade arrived.

BISHOP'S FUNERAL HELD

Grand Rapids, Mich., Dec. 29.—Roman Catholic dignitaries from many states attended the funeral of Bishop Henry Joseph Richter of Grand Rapids here today. Mayor George P. Tilma, members of the city council, city and state officials and other persons of prominence also were present at the solemn ceremonies.

The body was placed in a vault in a local cemetery.

Mrs. Charles Sovine, 712 Archer street, is confined to her home on account of sickness.

Saturday Specials AT KARN BROS.

Give us your order for your Meat wants over the holidays and be assured of strictly fresh, palatable meats.

Guaranteed Eggs 38c
Choice Beef Roasts.....12½c
Chuck Steak 15c
Flank Steak 18c
Round or Loin Steak.....18c
Fresh Lamb Stew 14c
Lamb Shoulder Chops.....18c
Veal Stew 13c
Veal Roasts or Chops.....16c-18c
Fresh Pigs' Feet.....7c
Fresh Kidneys 8c
Fresh Brains 10c
Fresh Neck Bones.....6c
Fresh Spare Ribs 13c
Lean Pork Shoulders (whole).....16c
Pork Loin Chops or Roasts.....18c
Fresh Side Pork.....17c-18c

Smoked Meats

Picnic Hams 16c
Sugar-Cured Hams 20c
Breakfast Bacon 20c-22c
Boneless Cottage Hams 23c
3-lb. Pail Lard.....52c
5-lb. Pail Lard.....85c
10-lb. Pail Lard.....$1.65
Frankfurters, Garlics, Smoked Sausage, etc.....15c

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10-pound pail Pure Lard.....$1.65
5-pound pail Pure Lard.....83c

BEEF SPECIALS

Native Beef Roasts, pound.....11c-12½c-14c
Native Beef Steak, tender, pound.....17c
Flank Steaks, no bone, pound.....18c
Fresh Ground Beef Loaf, pound.....14c

We Deliver to All Parts of the City Every Day

PORK SPECIALS

Pig Pork Roasts, lean, pound.....16c
Country Style Pure Pork Sausage, pound.....15c
Fresh Spare Ribs, pound.....13c
Shoulder Ribs, pound 7c
Fresh Pigs' Feet, pound..... 7c

The National Says It Pays to Please

VEAL SPECIALS

Native Veal Roasts, pound.....16c
Veal Pockets for Stuffing, pound.....15c
Native Veal Chops, pound.....16c
Veal Brains, pound 12½c

Please Phone Your Order Early—Phone 3133

SMOKED MEAT SPECIALS

A No. 1 Sugar Cured Hams, pound.....19½c
California Hams, Sugar Cured, pound.....16c
Bacon for Seasoning, pound 16c
A No. 1 Breakfast Bacon, pound.....20c

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WORKMAN SUFFERS DEEP CUT ON HEAD

X-Ray Picture is Taken to Determine Extent of His Injuries.

Jacob Emrick, aged 44 years, employed at the power plant of the Fort Wayne and Northern Indian Traction company and residing at 819 Delaware avenue, is a patient at St. Joseph's hospital suffering from a badly lacerated scalp and other injuries. An X-ray picture was taken Thursday evening to determine the extent of his injuries.

The injured man is in a serious condition, according to the reports from the hospital, as it is feared that his skull is fractured. The picture had not been developed late Friday afternoon.

Mr. Emrick was standing at an opening in an elevator shaft and had his head in the inside of the shaft. An elevator came down with a rush, striking him on the head. Luckily he fell backward and escaped death. The accident occurred late Wednesday afternoon. He was rushed to the hospital where immediate medical attention was given him.

He was unconscious when picked up by fellow workmen, but regained consciousness soon after arriving at the hospital.

BANQUET TONIGHT.

Washburn-Crosby Flour Agents to Meet at Commercial Club.

Tonight at the Commercial club there will be a banquet of twenty agents in Indiana and Ohio of the Washburn-Crosby company, wholesale flour dealers, of Minneapolis. A branch office of the Washburn-Crosby people is maintained in Fort Wayne in the Lincoln Life building.

RESOLVE that only honest to goodness food stuffs shall find their way to your pantry shelf this year. Resolve that the Fair and Square grocery shop shall attend upon your table wants during the next twelve months. Start the New Year right and you won't get left.

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Dressed Young Turkeys from 6 to 10 lb, 33c lb
Dressed Young Chickens .....24c lb.
Dressed Rabbits, large size .....35c each
Fancy Malaga Grapes ..... 18c lb.
Fancy Large Grape Fruit 10c
Navel Oranges—Navel Oranges ..... 20, 25, 30, 35, 40c Doz.
Fancy Baldwin Apples ..... 40c pk.
Gelfru and Jellycon, 3 pkgs, 25c (all flavors) .....3 pkgs, 25c
Monarch Catsup, 25c size for 15c

Quality Canned Goods.

Coast Brand Corn, two cans 25c
Hurrah Brand Tomatoes, 2 cans 25c
Baby Bunting Sugar Corn, 2 cans.....25c
Central States Fine Peas, 2 cans 25c
Coast Brand Asparagus, 25c size 20c

Specials — Specials

Santa Clara Prunes, 30-40 ..... 15c
Gold Medal Flour...$1.25
Corn Flakes, 3 pkgs...23c
Gold Medal Rolled Oats, large size 23c
Skinner's Macaroni and Spaghetti (must buy) 3 pkgs. 9c

Always bear in mind that QUALITY comes first in this Store.
We deliver to all parts of the City.

Look! Look! Look!

Wee have Lots of Meat on hand and Would Like you all to Come and have the Benefit of the Low Prices this Week for it Looks to me that Meats and Lard will go Higher. What Bother me to know Where We are going to get our Hogs from now. Farmers I Wish you Would bring your Hogs in. You all know they are 3 more Packing Houses here that Will buy your Hogs. They all Will Treat you Right and So Will Wee. Now Come in With Yur Hogs at any time I Will asure you the Top Price and Little above the Shipper Price. Lets form a Market. We Can if you Co-oporate here With us. This is a open Market, no Combination to Fix Price. Call us all up by Phone or Come and See us you Will have Fair Treatment. Will Pay 10c for Good Hogs all next week and if the Market is Better you Will get the Rais. Now Pleas Don't forget us all. It's no use Shipping all those Hogs to other Market, when We Need them here at Home.. Say, Wee got a few more of those barrels left.. Wee are going to Sell Meat Cheap at 1321 Calhount St., and also Ueber Rhine. Have Lots nice Little Pig Quarters, Pork that will Roast Nice Whont Come to more than a Dollar and ½ or one Seventy. They Surly nice and Tender and must be Sweet. We Will Still Sell Nice Smoked Hams a 18c and Nice Bacan a 19c all Mild Cure.

No more for this tim. Good By. LEIKAUF.
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O Yes Girls, I am Forgetting you. Will Tell you Something next Week. I may be Felling Better.

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Beef Roasts, Choice No. 1 Chuck.....11-12½c
Hamburg Steak, Very Choice.....12c
Boil Beef No. 1 Plates 10c

Other Specials

Pork Shoulders 15½c
Pork Chops 18c
Steaks, Round or Loin....18c
Shoulder Spare Ribs 6c
Pure Pork Sausage 18c
Frankfurters and Smoked Sausage 14c
Picnic Hams 16c
Lard, No. 1, 3-pound pail..52c
Lard, No. 1—5-pound pail..85c
Spare Ribs 12½c
Prunes, No. 1, pound 11c
Rice, pound 7c

Canned Corn, Peas, Beans, Hominy, Tomato Soup, Baked Beans 10c
Evaporated Milk 5c
Globe or Gloss Soap, 10 bars 25c
5c Cleanser, 3 cans for 10c
Mince Meat, 3 pkgs. 25c
Try Our Coffee, 18c; 2 lbs.. 50c
Old Reliable and High Grade Coffee 26c
Green Japan Tea, 60c grade, pound 30c
Our Butterine, very good ..22c
Spaghetti or Macaroni ..5c-10c

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FOR SATURDAY—Strawberries, Fruits, Vegetables, Fresh Oysters, Pure Country Sausage.

10 Lbs. Pure Granulated Sugar 75c

White Sand Potatoes, peck..49c
Sweet Juicy Oranges..... .....12c, 22c, 32c, 45c
Large Grape Fruit...5c and 10c
Quality Tangerines, doz....30c
Jumbo Bananas, doz.....20c
Fancy Wax Lemons, doz....30c

Sugar Corn ..... Sweet Peas ..... Quality Hominy .... Quality Pumpkin .... String and Wax Beans Pink Beans ..... Can 10c

Creamy Cream Cheese, lb 26c

½ Bbl. Crow or Turtle Flour $1.08

Bulk Rolled Oats, lb..... 5c
Fancy Rice, 2 lbs.....15c
Large Prunes and Peaches, 2 lbs. 25c
Quality Mince Meat, 3 pkgs..25c
Macaroni and Spaghetti, 3 for 25c
Pancake and Buckwheat, 3 for 25c
Corn Flakes .....4 for 25c
Pure Buckwheat, sack 35c & 70c
Lye, Dutch Cleanser, Bon Ami, Sapolio, Shoe and Stove Blacking and Climaline, 3 for 25c

Strictly Fresh Eggs, doz.. 41c

If YOU Want a Good Cup of Coffee, Buy Our Own at 25c, 30c 35c
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Hood's Maysville Sausage, Strictly Pure Pork, 22c pound.

New Clover Honey, Extra White and Clear, 19c.

"Royalty" Butterine; a 28c Value. Sale, 2-lb. cake, 24c.

RABBITS Are at Their Best Right Now. 28c Each

Chickens All Poultry Carefully Fresh Dressed and Drawn Oysters

Pure Cane Granulated Sugar, 25-lb. Cloth Sacks, $1.87.

"Sun Maid" Raisins, 2 pkgs., 25c
Home-Made Mince Meat, 16c lb.
Lima Beans, 10c lb.; Navy, 14c lb.
Rice, 10c grade, large white, 7c lb.

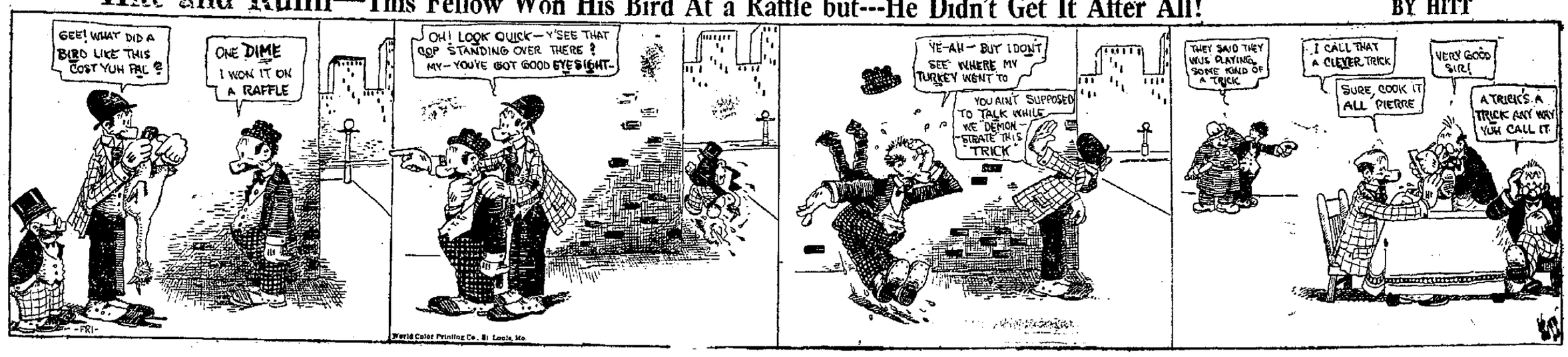
Grape Fruits Sale, 13c doz.; 6 for 25c.
—Orange Sale Still On.—
Apples, Russets, 35c peck.
Baldwins, 45c peck; Storks, 45c.

Strawberries, Tomatoes, Celery, Cabbage, Cauliflower, etc.

Our Own Roast Coffee, 20c value, 17c lb.; 3 lbs. 50c
Get Our Prices on High Quality Canned Goods.
Fancy Roll Butter, 37c lb. Selected Eggs, 39c doz.

Hitt and Runn—This Fellow Won His Bird At a Raffle but---He Didn't Get It After All!

BY HITT


GEE! WHAT DID A BIRD LIKE THIS COST YUH PAL?
ONE DIME I WON IT ON A RAFFLE
-FRI-
OH! LOOK QUICK—Y'SEE THAT COP STANDING OVER THERE? MY—YOU'VE GOT GOOD EYESIGHT-
World Color Printing Co., St. Louis, Mo.
YE-AH—BUT I DONT SEE WHERE MY TURKEY WENT TO
YOU AIN'T SUPPOSED TO TALK WHILE WE DEMONSTRATE THIS TRICK
THEY SAID THEY WUS PLAYING SOME KIND OF A TRICK
I CALL THAT A CLEVER TRICK
SURE, COOK IT ALL PIERRE
VERY GOOD SIR!
A TRICK'S A TRICK ANY WAY YUH CALL IT

Review of Sports in Fort Wayne During the Year of 1916

1916 Was Successful Year for Sports in Fort Wayne

Passing of Year Closes Thriving Period in Athletic Circles.

The year 1916 may be called one of the best ever known for sports in Fort Wayne, notwithstanding the severe blow dealt the national pastime in the initial month when the Central league was organized for the year without a team representing Fort Wayne. Sports as a whole have attracted more interest and included more participants than in any previous year. There was a greater variety of athletics and games indulged in and the people of the city have become more awakened to the benefits derived from them than ever before.

At the beginning of the year bowling and basketball divided honors for popularity, and at short intervals boxing shows were being staged for the benefit of the followers of the ring game. On January 1st two of the best basketball teams of the city, the Lyceum Feds and St. Paul five, opened the year with wins, defeating the Findlay, O., and Zanesville quintets. This game was becoming extremely popular and had a large number of followers. Several good teams were representing the city on the floor, among them being the Feds, St. Paul's, St. Mary's and Concordia. As the season drew nearer to a close the interest increased and by the end of the season nearly every sport fan in the city was following the teams and comparing them and their playing.

Early in January serious doubts were felt in sport circles as to the possibility of having a team in the Central league. Frank Biemer started a company with intentions of taking the franchise for a club and the hopes of the fans clung to this organization. The thing died a quick death, however, and January 28 the meeting of the league was held here and the circuit closed without Fort Wayne. There was much gloom in baseball circles that day. President Dickerson later wrote a letter to a baseball man in this city telling him how much Fort Wayne would be missed and expressing his regrets that no company had been organized to back the team. Another epistle sent later was in the form of a scorcher remarking sarcastically about the fine sportsmanship in the city. During January word was received of the death of Claude H. Varnell, former owner of the Central league club.

Bowling Is Popular.

Bowling was claiming more attention right along. Leagues had been organized early in the season and many scraps for supremacy in the rolling circuits were being waged. Business men were using it as an aid to digestion, fat men as an aid in reducing, and thin men as an aid in developing. Countless matches and tournaments were staged. On January 11 Bill May pulled a surprise party by annexing the city title in this branch.

Still another branch of sports was being boosted at this time. The skating bugs were pulling for a regular ice carnival to be run off some time in February. This suggestion became extremely popular at once and no doubt could have been carried out, for it met with the approval of the park board, had not the weather spilled the beans by becoming hostile to anything in the line of ice.

Industrial League Proposed.

Early in February plans for an Industrial baseball league were proposed in The Sentinel. This idea was snapped at and a meeting was called in The Sentinel office. A temporary organization was formed and a meeting time set at which permanent officers were to be named. This meeting was held and Mart Cleary was elected president and Ora Goff, secretary. When the final arrangements were made six clubs were included in the circuit. They were Pennsylvania, Bowsers, Western Gas, Dudlo, Electric Works and Turners. Arrangements were made for a big opening to include a parade. This was scheduled for May 6, and was carried off in big style. The league went through a big season with all of the baseball fans of the city following the standings and watching the clubs. The Western Gas team copped the rag and a trophy put up by C. A. Dunkleberg early in the season.

In the meantime Mart Cleary formed a semi-pro club, headed by Bill Hillinger, which played at League park Sundays and holidays. Some good games were scheduled and the class of exhibition handed out by the team was not far from league average. At the end of the season the Western Gas shop league champs met the Clearyites in play for the city title and the gasmen took it.

Track Athletics.

Track athletics called forth some good efforts in the town during the late winter and spring. Towards the last of February an indoor meet was staged at Concordia gym between the college athletes and the Turners. Both teams practiced hard for the event, and the Turners took the meet. Shortly afterward the high school sent out a call for track candidates, something almost unprecedented, and made arrangements to have the district meet held here in May. In order to get in some early practice the students signed for an indoor meet with Concordia and this was run off. The high school was swamped but some good material was uncovered.

The following week plans were started for the outdoor team and Clarence Stillwell, a senior and an experienced track man, was elected captain. Russel, the Turner star, was secured to coach the athletes and as soon as the weather permitted work was started at Centlivre park. Four teams entered the meet, Bluffton, Columbia City, Decatur and Fort Wayne. A cup was up for the winning team, and in addition the Fort Wayne school board offered three medals to the local athletes making the three highest scores. The meet was held May 6 and Bluffton took the cup with 27 points. Fort Wayne and Columbia City were tied for second place with 25 points each and Decatur pulled up the rear with 9 points. Captain Stillwell, of Fort Wayne, was the individual star of the meet.

Tennis came in for a lot of popularity in the spring and a tournament was run off in the high school. Plogsterth won the tourney and the singles championship of the school, while he and his partner, Popp, won the doubles. Shortly after this a challenge was received from the tennis team of Culver for a match to be played at Culver. The local sharks took them up and won the match in handy style.

Tennis Tournament.

The Northern Indiana tennis tourney was held at the Country club the first week in August. A large field of good players entered and some real tennis was shown during the week. Although no Fort Wayne players went the limit, many of them put up fine games and lost hard sets. Marshall Ketchum, of Chicago, won the men's singles and Thomas and McKay, of Indianapolis, won the doubles. The women's singles went to Miss Katherine Brown, of Indianapolis. Miss Katherine Brown and Cullen Thomas, of Indianapolis, won the mixed doubles and Miss Katherine Brown and Miss Lucille Sharett, of Indianapolis, took the women's doubles.

In the first part of September the city tennis tournament was held and it resulted in some surprises. It was a case of youth overcoming experience in the finals and Clinton Burton defeated Dr. Miles F. Porter, jr., for the city title, Burton teaming with Mulholland, won the doubles, the pair overcoming Bailhe and O'Rourke.

Much Interest in Golf.

Golf was played a great deal more than ever before at the Country club. A team was formed which played teams from other clubs and was very successful as to percentage. Fred McCulloch again annexed the Benson cup and with it the championship of the club. This tourney officially closed the play at the club, but several of the bugs were still wielding the clubs when the first snow flurry arrived.

Football Most Popular.

Of all the popular sports in the city during 1916, however, football probably reigned supreme. In the first place Fort Wayne was represented by one of the best professional teams in the country, the eleven put on the field by the Friars club and headed by "Cap" Edwards, former Notre Dame star adn All-Western tackle. The team was coached by Captain Byroade and was made up of some very good players. Probably the underlying caused of the success of the team lies in the fact that most of the players were former Notre Dame players and many of them played on the team at the same time. They had received the same coaching and could naturally team together better than they could have otherwise.

The season was a decided success financially and in the sport line and there are probably more followers of football in the city now than of any other sport. Fine weather aided the clubmen financially and although the expenses were very steep, the project was a success.

Football was not confined to professional circles, either, there being some mighty clever amateur teams in the game. The West End eleven played games against several strong teams this year and were successful out of the city. In one game especially, that with Jackson Independents, of Jackson, Mich., the team made a fine showing. The Jackson team played the Friars a couple of years ago. This amateur team did not fare so well in the city, however, seeming to go to pieces and the claims to the city title were made by the Bachelors. Another team which showed real football class was the Badgers.

Basketball Comes Next.

And after the football season the history of sports in Fort Wayne in the year 1916 leads us once more into basketball, bowling and boxing. All three of the sports are more popular than ever. Two good ring shows have been staged at the Majestic and although these have not been well attended the Summit City Athletic club expects to keep up the work, according to Matchmaker George Biemer, and bouts will be staged at regular intervals throughout the winter.

Bowling and basketball both started out with a rush. A gang of leagues were formed in the rolling game, chief of these being the City association. President Eddie Harkenrider of this circuit managed to secure the state bowling tournament for Fort Wayne and this will be staged in April at the Metropolitan alleys.

Several basketball teams have started successfully and among these is the high school team. This quintet has been developing rapidly and won the last game played, that against Decatur high by a nice margin. The other teams which have started are going good and have been winning from visitors with gratifying regularity, considering the class of teams which they have been playing.

This brings to a close the year's history of Fort Wayne sportdom and the fan may now look forward to another big year in 1917. The first event of the year will be staged tonight when the Lyceum Feds open their basketball season against the Haynes Auto five of Kokomo.

1916 Was Woman's Year in Sport! She Met and Bested Man at His Own Game!

Left to right, Mrs. Ad Topperwein, champion trapshot; Miss Cynthia Wesson, archery champion; Alexa Stirling, national golf champion; Olga Dorfner, holder of short distance swimming records; Molla Bjursted, tennis champion; Ruth Law, aviator who set new record.

BY PAUL PURMAN.

Nineteen hundred and sixteen and woman's year in sport.

Not only did women compete at their own games, but in two instances women accomplished feats which men have never achieved.

Women in sport open a field which is rapidly widening.

It is not going too far to predict that in sports where skill and not strength is the forte woman will soon be on an equal basis with men and will defeat man at his own game.

The most remarkable performances in the world of sport in 1916 were achieved by women.

They were the non-stop flight of Ruth Law from Chicago to Hornell, N. Y., a distance of 668 miles, and the trapshooting record of Mrs. Ad Topperwein, of San Antonio, Tex., who broke 1,952 clay birds out of 2,000.

There are more than 600,000 trapshooters in America, yet no man has ever shot at 2,000 targets in one day and only one has ever shot at 1,000.

Miss Law's long cross-country flight is one of the high spots in the history of aviation.

Flying in an old biplane, she beat Victor Carlstrom's record made a few days before by 216 miles, although Carlstrom had a new army model machine and it was Miss Law's first attempt at long-distance flying.

The flight was made in 6 hours and 38 minutes, an average of 118 miles an hour, or 1.97 miles a minute.

Miss Law then rounded out the day's flight by speeding to Binghamton, a total distance of 785 miles for the day, another record.

In tennis, golf and swimming, women also excelled.

The performance of Miss Alexa Stirling, a 19-year-old girl, in winning the national golf championship for women, was one of the remarkable performances of the year.

Miss Molla Bjursted, tennis champion, set a standard for play that the best men players might envy.

Miss Bjursted met and defeated several men during the season and there is no reason to believe that she would not be a match for the best men in the country.

In the swimming field the names of Miss Olga Dorfner, who set a new record for the 100 yards; Miss Eileen Lee, who created a new long distance record, and Miss Claire Galligan, the new mile champion, tell what women have done in the water sports.

In archery Miss Cynthia M. Wesson, of Cotuit, Mass., won the national championship with the remarkable score of 582.

What will 1917 bring to women in sport?

Will woman usurp man's place in other branches of sport? Will she compete with man at his own game and beat him?

The wonderful achievements of women in 1916 hint at such a consummation.

Maybe it won't come in 1917, but the trend is that way and man must look to his laurels or grin and bear defeat at

BIEMER CONSIDERING WELSH-STEWART BOUT

Busy Season is Ahead of Hal Stewart and His Manager.

Harry Pollock, manager of Freddy Welsh, lightweight champion, is engaged in an attempt to bring his charge to this city to meet Hal Stewart early in this month. He has started the preliminary correspondence with George Biemer, Summit City club matchmaker and manager of Stewart. The latter expects the deal to go through to completion.

The two lightweights have met before in this city and at this time the bloomin' Englishman showed fighting traits so different from those with which he is credited in other cities that he has won a bunch of friends here.

Hal Stewart is getting into a busy season now and has been training for some time. He left yesterday morning, accompanied by George Biemer, for St. Louis, where he will meet either Jimmy Evans or Mark Fowler tonight. He is booked to meet Kid Hogan in Grand Rapids January 5.

Frankie Mason will appear in Grand Rapids, too, being booked to scrap three times in five days, during which time the furniture dealers are in session in that city. January 12, the paperweight will meet Tommy Enwright at Bay City, Mich.

HEZE CLARK PICKS AN ALL-STATE PRO ELEVEN

Indianapolis Sport Write Gives State Champs Three Jobs on Team.

Heze Clark, Indianapolis sport scribe, has highly complimented the Friar football team and the coach, Captain Byroade. It was all unintentional but nevertheless true. The Friars have been conceded the championship of the state by their decisive defeats over every other Hoosier team, including Pine Village. When Clark sets out to pick his annual All-State professional outfit, Pine Village gets five positions with the Friars pulling down three.

This clearly shows when seen in the light of the Friars' win over Pine Village, that Clark didn't know what he was doing when he picked his team, or that the Friars triumphed over Pine Village by means of superior team work. After all the years Heze has spent as writer of sports and picker of teams far be it for us to question his judgment in making choices. Therefore there is only one thing left and that is to concede to the Friars the superior team work. That is a very high compliment for Captain Byroade and his team, for team work is inclined to be a rare bird in professional circles.

The Friars who were honored individually are Cap Edwards, placed at left end; Dear Jones, at left tackle, and Dorias, at quarter. Blocker, of Hammond, was given the center position. A chance was not given to see Blocker play center in this city and he may be one of the greatest ever, but it would be necessary for a pivot man to travel considerably to better Al Feeney. The ex-Purdue leader may have it on the "bird boy" on defensive playing, but some of the stuff which Al showed on the offensive while playing here would almost give him the advantage over the defensive stuff.

Just the same, Al finds himself on the second team in company with Chris Chambers and Bull Young of the Friar team. The former had to compete with "All-American" King, of Pine Village and Harvard, for the fullback job and woke up on the second team at that position. Bull Young is decorating the left half job on the second.

What has become of Fliske, Johnson, Rockne and a few others is the question which has us stumped. Probably it would be a good stunt on this all-state job to follow Walter Camp's example and have about a dozen teams so the fans could find out how the players rank comparatively. The two teams chosen are as follows:

First Team.

Left end, Edwards, Friars.
Left tackle, Jones, Friars.
Left guard, Keefe, Pine Village.
Center, Blocker, Hammond.
Right guard, Routh, Wabash.
Right tackle, Davis, Pine Village.
Right end, Helvie, Pine Village.
Quarterback, Dorias, Friars.
Left half, Ely Fenter, Pine Village.
Right half, K. Yarnelle, Wabash.
Fullback, King, Pine Village.

Second Team.

Left end, Ofstie, Pine Village.
Left tackle, Winters, Pine Village.
Left guard, Tibbs, Wabash.
Center, Feeney, Friars.
Right guard, Hooker, Pine Village.
Right tackle, Yount, Wabash.
Right end, Reno, Wabash.
Quarterback, Finn, Hammond.
Left half, Young, Friars.
Right half, Bergman, Wabash.
Fullback, Chambers, Friars.

LYCEUM FEDS READY FOR INITIAL CONTEST

The Lyceum Feds are on their toes waiting to start things off with a bang when they meet the Haynes Auto five of Kokomo at the Lyceum gym, this evening. State championship ambitions have worked into the blood of the Feds and they are not letting a single chance slip to further themselves in the direction of the goal. The team they play tonight is composed of old college men, mostly former Purdue and Indiana varsity players. They are well known and well liked here and will prove a great drawing card.

HITTING THE HEAD PIN.

The Palace trophy seems to have started out on a series of quick changes and is now the property of Frank Farnan by virtue of his defeat of Art Kraft, the latest holder. Farnan bowled a good game and stored away a good total. His average for five games was 219 pins. The scores:

Farnan	203	237	247	184	224—1095
Kraft	183	196	176	192	185— 932

At the Olympic alleys Rodermund bowled Rodermund and Rodermund won. J. E. Rodermund challenged J. C. Rodermund, holder of the Kirkhoff trophy, and won. The scores:

J. E. Rodermund	157	202	200	—560
J. C. Rodermund	164	151	183	—498

BOWLING.

CITY ASSOCIATION.

With the end of the first half of the season for the "City" bowlers in sight, the Lyric Buffet artists are holding the lead in fine style. Each half carries a championship title and the Lyrics are bound to have this one. The team standings and individual averages at present are as follows:

TEAM STANDING.

Teams.	W.	L.	Pct.	Av.
Lyric Buffet	24	12	.666	905
Berry Buffet	22	14	.611	866
Minuet Electrics	21	15	.583	878
Berghoff Brew. Ass.	20	16	.555	878
Schiefer Paige's	18	18	.500	865
Friars	13	23	.361	865
Troy Dry Cleaners	13	23	.361	854
Wheel Buffet	13	23	.361	826

INDIVIDUAL AVERAGES.

Teams.	G.	Av.
Farnan, Minuets	36	192
Doehrman, Lyrics	36	186
Kelly, Lyrics	36	186
Greims, Berry	21	186
Ehle, Lyrics	15	186
H. Carr	3	186
E. Harkenrider, Lyrics	33	185
F. Carr, Minuets	30	184
Jackson, Berghoff	27	184
Reinhart, Schiefer	33	181
Vesey, Friars	33	180
Zurcher, Berry	36	179
G. Harkenrider, Minuets	33	179
H. Miller, Berry	30	178
Smith, Troy	15	178
Stang, Schiefer	36	177
Kennelly, Wheel	32	177
Knoll, Berry	27	177
C. Tucker, Friars	27	177
Feistkorn, Troy	33	176
Huber, Berghoff	27	176
Leist, Berghoff	36	175
Hills, Berghoff	36	175
Heine, Berghoff	33	175
Einsiedel, Troy	33	175
Bender, Berry	30	174
Nussbaum, Friars	23	174
Beckes, Lyrics	30	173
L. Tucker, Friars	29	173
P. King, Wheel	25	173
Slagle, Schiefer	36	172
May, Schiefer	36	172
Henschen, Troy	35	172
Shea, Wheel	15	172
Brooks, Minuets	30	171
Quinn, Wheel	3	171
Reynolds, Minuets	36	170
Hayes, Wheel	36	169
Schwartz, Lyrics	30	169
Hinds, Schiefer	27	168
C. J. Centlivre, Friars	23	168
Meyers, Berghoff	21	167
Bittler, Troy	36	166
S. Miller, Berry	32	166
Leach, Friars	30	166
Weisenberg, Wheel	34	165
Strader, Schiefer	9	163
Mackey, Wheel	2	163

GRIDDERS FACE BUM WEATHER CONDITIONS

Pasadena, Cal., Jan. 1.—Uncertain weather conditions early today greeted the players of the University of Pennsylvania and University of Oregon elevens, who are ready for the second annual post season football game between the east and west at Tournament park here, following the tournament of roses pageant. Although Pennsylvania has been the favorite, the forecast of unsettled weather cheered the Oregon supporters.

A wet or muddy field, it was thought, might give the heavy line plunging Oregonians a slight advantage over the open style of play expected from the eastern eleven. R. O. Folwell, Pennsylvania coach, and Hugo Bezdek, the Oregon mentor, announced that their men were in good condition. Urquhart, Pennsylvania's left end, who developed an infected foot on the trip west, will be replaced by Crane.

ELLENWOOD WINNER.

Takes Five-Round Argument at Buffalos Last Night.

The headliner on an athletic program at the Buffalo lodge last night was a five-round bout between Len Ellenwood and Billy Golden. The former easily took the long end and no trouble was met in giving out the decision.

In the opening bout Jean Gilchrist and Virgil Stanford went four rounds to a draw and following that Billy Deahl and Charlie Schroeder worked for a draw in a wrestling match.